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United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June 19th. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Subject of dispatch.
Sch. "William Phillips".

Inclosure.
No. 1. Report of trial at Newchwang.

No. 84.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. June 19th. 1898.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

Referring to my dispatch No. 81. I now have the honor to hand you herewith a full report of the proceedings in the matter of the American Schooner "William Phillips" held at Newchwang. marked "Inclosure No. 1".

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant
J. Stahel
Vice Consul General

(Copy)

In the Court of the United States Consulate

at Newchwang

United States (Mr. Vice Consul Bandinel)

v.

A. Healy

Nature of Offence. Falsifying Ships papers.

By whom information laid. Mr. Vice Consul Bandinel.
Date when laid. 28th June 1878
Date of issue of Summons. 4th July 1877

Heard before

Fredk Bandinel, Vice Consul, and
D. J. Haliday, G. J. Richards, and G. N. Pul-
-sipher, Associates, the 5th day of July 1877

Judgment 5th July 1877

The Defendant to pay a fine of $500- (including
costs $41.60). to give $500. security to meet
any further action taken against him by the
U.S. Minister - to remove the band from his
halfway or correct figures wrongly painted
thereon -

thereon - to leave his Regiete in the United States Consulate to be forwarded to the United States Minister.

Number of documents

10 in all besides the two despatches mentioned herein.

Memo: of Fees

Notice to Defendant	$ 0.50
Subpoenas to Associates	" 2.-
" " Witness	" 0.50
Serving the above	" 3.-
Returning	" 1.-
Filing	" 1.-
Docketing	" 1.-
Recording	" 2.60
Witness' Fees	" 3.-
Constable's Fees	" 3.-
Associates' Fees	" 9.-
Judge's Fees	" 15.-
	$ 41.60

Copy

In the Court of the United States Consulate
Newchwang the 4th July 1877

U. S. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)
vs
A. Healy

Charge of Altering Ship's papers and of passing, uttering, and publishing, and of attempting to pass, utter, and publish, as true, such falsely altered Ship's papers.

To the Marshal of the Court

You are hereby directed to summon Mr A. Mc Thorn, if found within this Consular Jurisdiction, to be and appear before me at 10 o'clock A.M. on the 5th day of July 1877, to act as an

Associate

Associate in this case

And of this Subpœna make due return

(signed) Fred^k Bandinel

(L S) U. S. Vice Consul,

acting Judicially.

U. S. (M^r Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

R. Healy

Did not serve on the within named R. M^c Horne as he was out on the Pilot ground, on duty as Pilot

(signed) C. Swanston

Marshal of the Court

Copy

In the Court of the United States Consulate
Newchwang the 4th July 1877

U. S. (Mr Vice Consul Bamline)
vs
A. Healy

Charge of Altering Ship's papers, and of passing, uttering, and publishing, and of attempting to pass, utter, and publish, as true, such falsely altered Ship's papers.

To the Marshal of the Court

You are hereby directed to summon Mr C. H. Pulcipher, if found within this Consular jurisdiction, to be and appear before me at 10 o'clock AM on the 5th day of July 1877 to act as an Associate

Associate in this case

And of this Subpœna make due return.

(signed) Fred.k Bandinel

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H. B. Vice Consul,

acting judicially

H. B. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

A. Healy

Served on the within named A. A. Pulcipher personally at 4:30 o'clock PM on the 4th day of July 1877.

(signed) C. Swanston

Marshal of the Court

Copy

In the Court of the United States Consulate
Newchwang the 4th July 1877

U. S. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

A. Healy

Charge of Altering Ship's papers and of passing, uttering, and publishing, and of attempting to pass, utter, and publish, as true, such falsely altered Ship's papers.

To the Marshal of the Court

You are hereby directed to summon Mr D. J. Haliday, if found within this Consular Jurisdiction to be and appear before me at 10 o'clock A.M. on the 5th day of July 1877, to act as an Associate

Associate in this case.

And of this Subpœna make due return.

(signed) Fred^k Bandinel

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U. S. Vice Consul,

Acting judicially

U. S. (M^r Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

A. Healy

Served on the within named D. J. Haliday personally at 5.30 o'clock PM on the 4^th day of July 1877

(signed) C. Swanström

Marshal of the Court

Copy

In the Court of the United States Consulate

Newchwang the 4th July 1877

U. S. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

A. Healy

Charge of altering Ship's papers and of passing, uttering, and publishing, and of attempting to pass, utter, and publish, as true, such falsely altered Ship's papers.

To the Marshal of the Court

You are hereby directed to summon Mr G.B. Richards, if found within this Consular Jurisdiction, to be and appear before me at 10 o'clock A.M. on the 5th day of July 1877 to act as an Associate

Associate in this case

And of this Subpœna make due return.

(signed) Fred^k Bandinel

(L S)

H. M. Vice Consul,

Acting Judicially

H. M. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

M. Healy

Served on the within named M. C. Richards personally at 4.30 o'clock PM on the 4th day of July 1879

(signed) C. Summerton

Marshal of the Court

Copy

In the Court of the United States Consulate
Newchwang the 4th July 1877

U. S. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)
vs
A. Healy

Charge of Altering Ship's papers,
and of passing, uttering, and publishing,
and of attempting to pass, utter, and
publish, as true, such falsely altered
Ship's papers.

To the Marshal of the Court

You are hereby directed to notify A.
Healy that the hearing in the above
matter has been set down for the 5th
day of July 1877 at 10 o'clock A.M.
The Associates chosen are
Messrs.

Messrs G. & J. Pulcipher

G. G. Richards

D. J. Haliday

And

You will obtain from the said A. Healy the names of the witnesses whom he desires to have summoned on his behalf.

And of this notice make due return.

(signed) Fred^k Bandinel

(L S)

H. M. Vice Consul,

Acting judicially.

H. M. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

A. Healy

Served on the within named A. Healy personally at 4.30 o'clock PM on the 4th day of July 1877

(signed) G. Swanstrom

Marshal of the Court

Copy

In the Court of the United States Consulate

Newchwang the 5th July 1877

U. S. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

R. Healy

Charge of Altering Ship's papers, and of passing, uttering, and publishing, and of attempting to pass, utter, and publish, as true, such falsely altered Ship's papers.

To the Marshal of the Court

You are hereby directed to summon H. Douglas, Chief Officer on board Am: S/no schr "William Phillips" if found within this Consular Jurisdiction, to be and appear before me at 10 o'clock A M

on

on this 5th day of July 1877 to give evidence in this case in behalf of the United States

And of this Subpœna make due return.

(signed) Fred[k] Bandinel

(L S) U. S. Vice Consul,

acting judicially.

U. S. (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)

vs

A. Healy

Served on the within named A. Douglas at 9 o'clock A M on the 5th day of July 1877

(signed) C Swanstrom

Marshal of the Court

Copy

In the Court of the United States Consulate

Newchwang 5th July 1877

I, the Undersigned, do hereby certify that, in the case of the United States versus B. Healy, I, by order of the Vice Consul, served subpoenas for Associates on D. J. Haliday, G. B. Richards, and C. A. Pulsipher, and that a subpoena was further issued for A. McThorn the only other American citizen then residing in this port, which summons could not be served as the said A. McThorn was down river on duty on the Pilot cruising ground.

(signed) Charles A. Swanstrom

U. S. Marshal.

Copy

In the Court of the United States
Consulate at Newchwang

United States (Mr Vice Consul Bandinel)
vs
A. Healy

Charge of falsely altering Ships papers,
and of passing uttering and publishing, and
of attempting to pass utter and publish,
as true, such falsely altered Ships papers.

Minutes of proceedings

Before Fredk Bandinel Vice Consul and
C. A. Fulsipher, D. J. Halliday, G. C. Richards,
Associates at 10 AM on 5th July 1877

The Associates having taken the usual
oath - Mr Vice Consul Bandinel stated
as follows:-

The

The "William Phillips" entered on the 23rd June. Having seen her papers were deposited, I sent the Customs the usual Certificate, filling in the amount of tonnage from her last report in the Circular books. The 23rd was on Saturday; on Monday I received a note marked No 1.

Capts Healy enquires from the Court if it is duly legally constituted and if the Associates are qualified to act and if they are American citizens. Being answered in the affirmative he Capts Healy objects to the jurisdiction of the Court.

Mr Bandinel to Mr Robeson's note. I reply after looking at the ship's papers that they were so inked that it was difficult to say which was correct. On the next day

day 26th I heard from the Taotai on the subject and before answering him I wrote to Captn Healy. No 2. Despatch No 409. Captn Healy gave no written answer to No 2 but called and made some re-marks, stating that he had paid the tonnage duty in dispute.

On the 2nd July I again wrote to Captn Healy No 3. Despatch No 414. Captn Healy called and read the Statute referred to, and after some conversation about the slab left with giving an explanation. (signed) Fredk Bandinel

Mr R. M. Hobson - duly sworn - states I acknowledge writing No 1. The Tonnage dues certificate granted at Tientsin produced by Captain Healy here called for Tons 391. He has since paid on additional Tons 201. A T 10.40.

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In answer to Captain Healy says he told him the extra duty would have to be paid by some time next day and that if he would take a hint he would pay at once. Captain Healy asks whether previous to that the Taotai had used any influence to stop the loading of the ship. Objected to by Mr Hobson and the Court as irrelevant.

By Mr Pulcipher. The said Tonnage dues here about 1st November last on 5 or 2 Tons. (signed) R M Hobson

The Register was now produced and viewed by the Associates.

Mr G. A. Swanston. sworn - went on board the "William Phillips" within the last 10 days by Vice Consuls order to look at the main beam and the hatchway. I did so and observed that half of the tonnage figures cut into the wood were covered by

by a plate of iron about 4 inches broad-
on top this plate of iron was the remain-
-der of the figures painted except the
(supposed to be) No. 5 which was painted
into a 3 - when I had looked at the
hatch - Captain Healy asked me "what
do you make of it" - my answer was
"not much". By the way the plating
was put on I do not think it was put
there to save the hatch combing from chafing.
(Captain Healy objects to an opinion being
taken as evidence) I also noticed the cut
of the figures in the wood looked to me
to run underneath the iron.
To Captain Healy - that was not the only
piece of iron there may have been one
or 4 pieces round the hatch - could not
say if they were put on by a mechanic
or on board ship - thinks they could be
done.

done equally well on board ship.
I made a drawing (produced) from
memory.
To Captain Healy - inferred the band was
put up there to hide the figures. (signed) G. Swanston
Henry Douglas 1st mate on board the
"William Phillips" sworn - joined the vessel
in August '75 before the mast - was
second mate when here in November last -
was appointed 1st mate 5 months ago in
Hong Kong - joined in San Francisco - the
Iron band round the square of the vessel
was not there when I joined the vessel
in San Francisco - the coombs were
off in Singapore to take timber in and
I believe the Iron bands were put on
there but can not swear - this was
in March this year - could not swear
what figures were cut in the Hatchway
beam

beam when I joined the vessel
I believe the iron was put on the hatches
to save the combing from Chafing. I know
that is the only thing it could be put
on for - at Singapore heavy timber
with a few planks was put in - the
timber was all taken in at the main
hatch - taking in timber is liable to
injure any ship's hatch. The plate
was put on by a Singapore carpenter -
the iron on the hatches fore and aft was
cleaned on the voyage up from Singapa-
-pore to Trieste - they were painted -
figures on the hatch were painted - by me -
391. I asked the Captain what figures
and to the best of my belief he told
me 391 - wherein the paper says it
appears correct as to the iron over the
top of the figures but he is not sure
as

as to the fractions.

(signed) Henry J. Douglas

Captain Healy claims to be tried in the United States where he could get legal advice - prosecutor could not then record and judge - means no insultation on the Court - the prosecutor has to prove a crime and that he committed it - denies jurisdiction - also takes exception to being convicted for a crime he is obliged by law to commit - suppose it were committed - I. E. depositing the papers within a certain time at the Consulate.

The Vice Consul and Associates went on board the "William Phillips" and had the iron band above referred to removed whereupon the figures appear as originally caused

carved, viz: 591 53.

Judgment

After carefully considering the evidence and documents submitted to us and personally inspecting the Defendant's vessel the Court has come to the conclusion that he the said A. Healy is guilty of the crime imputed to him.

Now if this case were tried in the United States the accused, if found guilty, would be liable to imprisonment with hard labour and also to a fine - but considering that by Title XLVII Section 4101 the Court has the option of inflicting fine or imprisonment or both; and seeing also that if the said A. Healy be detained his vessel must

be

be sent to sea under the command of a perhaps inferior Officer to the great risk and possible detriment of the ship owners, the Shippers of cargo and the Underwriters - the Court decides :-

That the said A. Healy do pay to the Court a fine of $500- (Five Hundred dollars) including costs; that he do give good security in $500- (Five Hundred dollars) more to meet the results of a reference of the case to the United States Minister in China; that he do at once either remove the band fixed over the figures on the Hatchway or alter the painted figures to correspond with those originally carved beneath; that he do leave his certificate of Registry in this Consulate whence it will be forwarded as soon as possible with all the other

papers

papers in the case to the United States Minister in China, for him to take such action on as may to him seem proper.

(signed) Fredk Bandinel

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U. S. Vice Consul,

Acting judicially

Assisted to

(signed) D. J. Haliday
(signed) G. C. Richards
(signed) C. H. Pulcipher

} Associates

No 1

Copy

Dear Mr Bandinel,

There appears to be a discrepancy in the tonnage of the I. D. Cer. of the "W. Phillips" & of that of the Consular Report. I fancy your report must be correct, as the ship said Does here last year on Tons 592. The present I. D. Cer. calls for Tons 391 - tons 200 short.

Yrs truly

(signed) R. M. H.

Copy

No. 409 United States Consulate

Newchwang 26 June 1877

Captain A Healy

Am: 3 my schooner "William Phillips"

Sir,

My attention has been drawn by the Custom House Authorities and by the Local Officials to a discrepancy of 200 Tons between your Tonnage as reported in November last year and on the present occasion.

Be so good as to inform me which statement is correct and how you account for so considerable a difference as this is,

and obliged Sir,

Your

Your Obedient servant,

(signed) Fred^k Daniel

Vice Consul

Copy

No. 414 United States Consulate

Newchwang 2nd July 1877

Captain Healy

Am S/m schooner "William Phillips"

Sir,

I regret to have to inform you that, after due consideration of your verbal reply to my despatch No. 409, and of the condition of your ship's papers, I have come to the conclusion that unless you can tender a satisfactory explanation of sundry apparent alterations in the figures representing your ship's tonnage on the certificate of Registry, it will be my duty to institute proceedings against you, on behalf of the United States, for a crime against the —

operations

operations of the Government, as set forth in Title LXX, Chapter V, Section 5423, of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Your explanation, if tendered, must be in writing that, if I accept it, I may have something to show to His Excellency the United States Minister, whom I have already, privately, addressed on this subject.

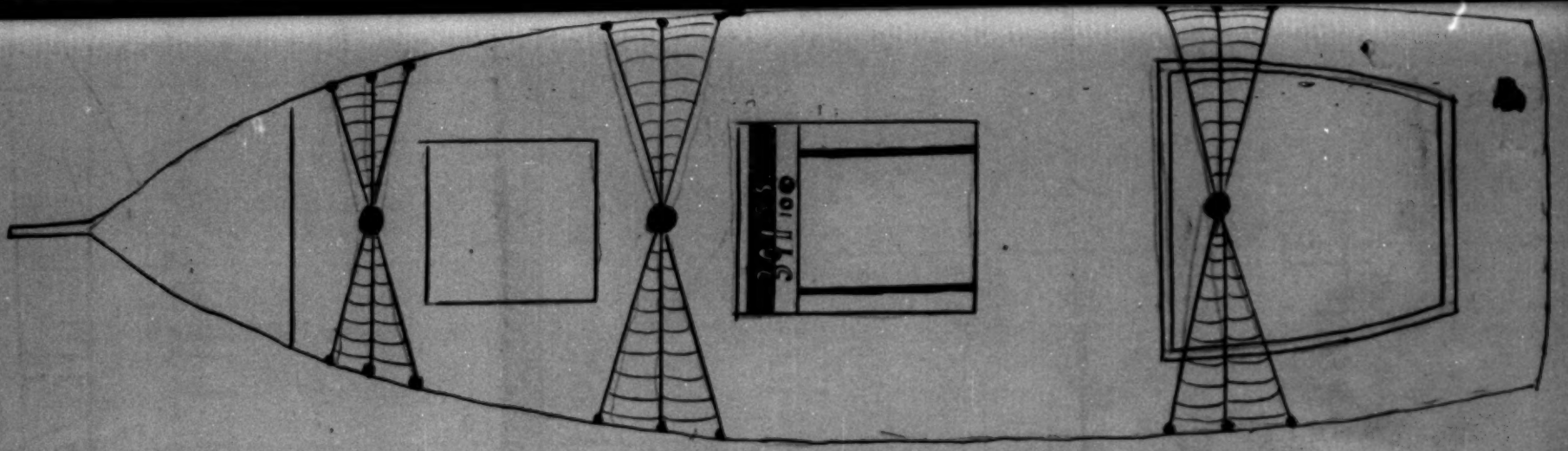
On the other hand, you are not bound to make any statement which may criminate you.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

(signed) Fred'k Bandinel

Vice Consul



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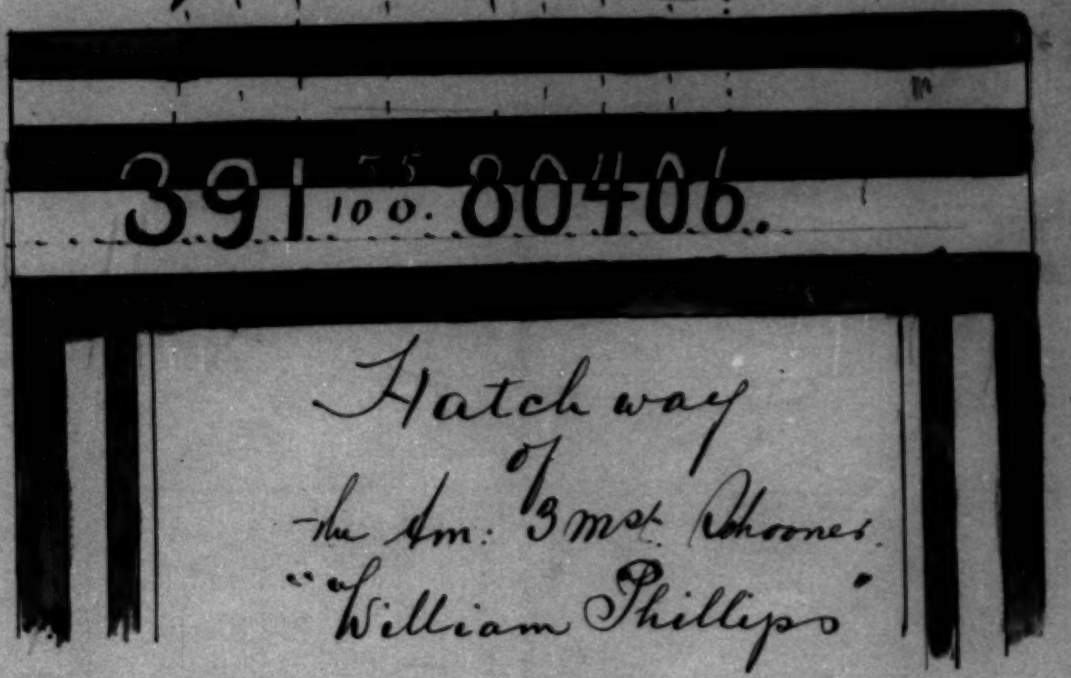
1. Iron Band painted Red 1....
2. Cut in the Hatchway 2....
3. Painted ontop the Iron band [Black Paint] 1....

By C A Svainstrom



Hatchway
of
the Am: 3 Mst Schooner
"William Phillips"

CALIFORNIA

In the Court of the United States Consulate

Newchwang 13th June 1878

I, the Undersigned, Vice Consul of the United States at Newchwang, China, do hereby certify that I have compared the above and foregoing copies with the original documents on file in this Office and that they are true and correct transcripts of the same.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the Consulate

Fred'k Bamdinel

U. S. Vice Consul,

acting judicially.

Shanghai China

Inclosure No. 1.

With dispatch No. 84.

Department of State.

Report in the matter
of Sch: "W. Phillips"

Ack. record books when rec'd
C. P.

No. 85.

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Sent to Committee

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. June 20th 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Subject of dispatch
Forwarding Record Books.

Inclosure.
No. 1. Memo. of Books sent.

No. 86.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June 20th. 1898.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

Under instructions from the United States Minister and in compliance with your telegram of 2d May last. I have to day shipped to you, one of the Collector of the Port of San Francisco one box of Record Books. memo. of which I have the honor to inclose marked "Inclosure No. 1".

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant.
J. Hahl
Vice Consul General

memo. of Record Books. Shipped from the United States Consulate General. Shanghai China to the Department of State, Washington D. C. per M. B. M. S. S. Co's. Steamer "Nagasaki Maru" Capt. Master to Yokohama. thence to San Francisco. C/o. Collector of Customs per. P. M. S. S. Co's. Str. "City of Tokio" Capt. Master.

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	one Case marked
	State Department.
	Washington D. C.
	C/o. Collector of the Port of. San Francisco. Cal.
	containing.
22	Bound volumes of correspondence from.
	State Department. Legations and Consuls.
	from 1862. to 1875.
10	Press. Copy books containing correspondence to
	State Department. Legations and Consuls.
	from 1862. to 1875.
3	Treasury Cir books from 1856. to 1875.
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1.	Ships Daily Journal.
2.	Arrival & departure Am. vessels. from. 1858. to 1876.
1.	Invoice book. from 1858. to 1876.
2.	Seamans registry 1858. to 1876.
1.	" ale ument " " 1875.
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1.	" " 1874. " 1873.
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E. & O. E.

Shanghai June 20. 1878.

[signature]

U. S. N. Consul General.

Enclosure No 1.

With dispatch No. 85.

State Department.

Memo. of Records.

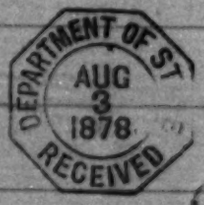
June 20. 1878

Mr. Wood.

No. 86.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June 20th. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.



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Subject of dispatch.
Returning thanks for dispatch No. 13.

No. 86.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June 20th. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have had the honor to receive your dispatch No. 13. and in reply I beg to return my best thanks for the Department's approval of my action

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant.
J. Hakel
Vice Consul General

Mr. Hood.

No. 89.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. June. 20th. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

dlc Aug 7

Subject of dispatch
Acknowledging receipt of No. 14

No. 84.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June. 20. 1898.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir.

I had the honor to receive your communication No. 14. of 7th. May. last. with its inclosures. and. in response I beg to refer you to my dispatch No. 80. of the 3rd. inst. I have also notified the patter

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
J. Hahl
U.S. Consul General

Mr. Wood.

No. 88

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. 21st. June. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State
Washington D. C.

Subject of dispatch
Acknowledging receipt of Official
Register. Jan 1878.

No. 88.

United States Consulate General
Shanghae 21. June. 1849.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge with thanks the receipt by the last American mail, of the United States official Register for the year 1849.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant.
J. Balch
Actg Consul General

Mr. Wood.

No 89.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. 21st. June. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Ack
Aug 7

Subject of dispatch.
Forwarding Mrs. De Lano's. No. 209.
with endorsement.

Inclosure.
Mrs De Lano's dispatch No. 209.

No. 89.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. 21st. June. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir.

I have the honor to inclose Mr. De Long's dispatch No. 209. recommending the appointment of Mr. J. D. Cheshire in place of Mr. J. F. Jones. as Vice Consul. and have much pleasure in inclosing the same.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
J. Stahel
Vice Consul General

[Rec'd Index Bureau 27th] Shanghai.

Acd - A.
June 26.

Washington. D.C. 21st June. 1878.

Hon. Wm. M. Evarts
Secretary of State.
Sir.

I have the honor to inform you that I have been discharged from further attendance, as a witness, before "Committee" of the House of Representatives on "Expenditures in the State Department," and that I await your instructions to resume my duties as Consul General. Shanghai, China.

I have the honor to be, Sir.
Your Obedient Servant
John C. Myers
Consul General

Ack. file C. P.

No. 90.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June. 25th. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter
Second asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Subject of dispatch
Marriage of W. H. Graham to Jane P. Winsor.

Enclosure
No. 1. Certificate of marriage.

No. 90.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. June. 26. 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:-

I have the honor to inclose herewith certificate of the marriage of. William Horace Graham to Jane Pearn Winsor, which took place before me on the 24th. inst.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
J. Hahel.
Vice Consul General

Consulate General of the United States of America.

Shanghai. China. June. 24th. 1848.

I the undersigned Vice Consul General of the United States of America. for the Empire of China residing at Shanghai. duly commissioned and sworn. do hereby certify that. on this twenty fourth day of June in the year of our Lord. One thousand eight hundred and seventy eight. William Hasael Graham born in the City of Baltimore. State of Maryland United States of America. aged thirty six years. was in my presence united in the Holy Bonds of Marriage to Jane Pearn. Winsor born in the town of Exmouth county of Devonshire England. aged thirty three according to the Rights of the Protestant Episcopal Church of England by the Very Reverend Dean. Charles H. Butcher. at the Cathedral in this Port.

Witness my hand and the seal of this Consulate General at Shanghai this twenty fourth day of June A.D. 1848.

J. Stahel

United States Vice Consul General.

Shanghai, China.

Inclosure No. 1.

With dispatch No. 90.

State Department.

Certif. of marriage of
W. H. Graham and
D. P. Winsor. June 24/78.

AOK C.R.

No. 91. Wood

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June 26. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Subject of dispatch.
Sending cash vouchers Wm. Rumpf's time.

No. 91.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. China. June 26. 1868.

Honorable W. Hunter
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to forward herewith one sealed package marked "Consular Vouchers from 1. to 655. during Mr. Myers time".

Messrs. Seward and Bradford each requested that they should be sent to the Department. the latter claiming them as evidence to support his accounts. and now. Mr. Myers claims them. I therefore forward them to the Department for its disposal.

I beg to call the attention of the Department. to the fact that although many duplicate vouchers. some of them contain original powers of attorney in estate matters.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Hall.
Vice Consul General

Shanghai
Fill. Cutler to Carpenter & Eaton
Judge O'Connor
Ans'ns this
O'Connor July 9/78

Washington, June 28, 1878

Hon. Wm. M. Evarts
Secretary of State
Washington

DEPARTMENT OF ST. JUN 29 1878 RECEIVED

Sir— I have the honor to acknowledge the
ipt of your letter of the 26th inst. inclosing the
er of the President suspending me from the office
Consul General at Shanghai China, which order
s date June 22, and was received by me this date

In your letter you say

"Your letter of the 21st instant is the first com-
unication the Department has received from you looking
a readiness, or a proffer of readiness to undertake
duties of that Consulate, since the order of the President
er date of June 5, 1877 suspending you from that-
ice which reached you at Shanghai on the twelfth
of July of the same year."

Permit me in reply to this portion of

your letter to say that I was not re-invested
the office of Consul General at Shanghai until
failure of the Senate to confirm my successor, whi
occurred on the adjournment of the Senate Decembe
1877. Within sixty days from that date, viz: on
uary 31, 1878 I was served with a subpoena by
Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives
requiring me to appear as a witness before the C
mittee on Expenditures in the State Department — t
in obedience thereto I did attend as such witne
was not discharged from such attendance un
Thursday the 20th inst; and that Immediately the
I reported to the Department of State as ready to as
my official duties

Permit me further most respectfully to
suggest, whether the President has the power to
send me a second time, after I have been once
rejected, and the Senate for this session has d
to consent to my removal, or advise or consent
the appointment of my successor

It is well known that the object of the Civil Service Tenure act so-called was to deny to the President the power of removal without consent of the Senate.

It is submitted that it would be contrary to the spirit of this statute to hold that the President may suspend an officer until the end of the then next session of Congress, and if the Senate refuses its consent, suspend him again the day after the Senate adjourns. This would practically leave the power of removal to the President alone.

I therefore respectfully submit that I have not been absent from duty as Consul General within the meaning of the Regulations, and further, that the President had no authority to issue the order of suspension above referred to.

I am, sir

Yours respectfully

John L. Myers

Consul General

Mr. Wood.

No. 92.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. June. 29. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State
Washington D. C.

Ans Aug 7

Subject of dispatch
Forwarding Mr. DeLano's #210 with approval.

Inclosure
Mr. DeLano's dispatch No 210.

No 92

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. June 29. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to hand you a dispatch numbered 210. from Mr. M. De Lano Esq. U.S. Consul at Foochow. asking for leave of absence for eight months. I beg to recommend that Mr. De Lano's request may be granted. on account of ill health.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Hall.
Vice Consul General

Mr. Hoode

No. 93.

Entered
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United States Consulate General
Shanghai. July 1st. 1878.

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Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State
Washington D. C.

Subject of dispatch
accounts & returns for 2d Quarter 1878.

Inclosures.
No. 1. Digest of Invoice book.
" 2. Register of letters sent.
" 3. " " " received.
" 4. Arrival & departure of Am. vessels.
" 5. Return of deceased Am. citizens
" 6. Rent & miscellaneous expenses.

No. 93.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai July. 1st. 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to inclose herewith my account and returns. (Inclosures No. 1. to 6.) for the Quarter ending 30th June 1878. in accordance with paragraph. 329. Consular Regulations 1874. I trust they may be found in order.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Stahel
Vice Consul General.

(Form No. 121.)

NAMES of all Deceased American Citizens, including Seamen or Mariners, together with the value of the personal effects belonging to them, and taken possession of by or deposited with Julius Stahel
U. S. Consul at Shanghai., from 1st. April. to 30th June. 98. inclusive.

DATE OF DECEASE.	NAMES OF PERSONS.	OF WHAT PLACE A NATIVE OR RESIDENT.	IF A SEAMAN, TO WHAT VESSEL BELONGING.	WHERE DECEASED.	VALUE OF EFFECTS.	DISPOSITION MADE THEREOF.
[illegible]	1. Andrew Andersen.	Shanghai	—	Shanghai	none	
April	14. W. Lavalle du Blanchard	"	—	Hongkong.	"	In probate
May.	16. Edward Boe Painter	"	—	Shanghai	—	In Ext. hands.

E. & O. E.
Shanghai. June. 30th. 1898.

J. Stahel
U. S. Consul.

U.S. Consulate General
Shanghai China

Inclosure No. 5.
With dispatch No. 93.

State Department

Entered

Returned. Americans
June 30. 1878

[Form No. 118.]

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NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN RECEIVED.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
Chamber of Commerce.	7243	Shanghai March. 30.	April 1.	Ref to Trade Dollar.	~	
"	7244	" " " .	" " .	Ack. dis. of U.S. Minister		
Chester Holcomb.	7245	Peking " 25.	" " .	Ack. dispatch No 4.		
Capt. Boyd.	7246	Shanghai. " 31.	" " .	Sending discharge of Fuller		
Judge French.	7247	" . April 1.	" 2.	Assumes charge British Court.		
Admiral Patterson	7248	" . March. 30.	" " .	Trial seamen offences.		
Station Consul.	7249	" . Apl. 4.	" 4.	Discharge S. Francisco.		
Edward Fischer.	7250	Yokohama. March. 20.	" " .	Estate of King & Co of Canton		
Taotai.	7251	Shanghai. April 3.	" " .	Processions.		
Rev. W. S. Holt.	7252	" " " .	" " .	Sale of christian books.		
R. Francis.	7253	" " " .	" " .	Claim Ext. Arms mills.		
U.S. Consul.	7254	Foochow. March 29.	" " .	Leave of absence.	1.	
C.W. Thompson.	7255	Shanghai. Apl. 2	" " .	Certain Engineers Packing		

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W. S. Wetmore.	7256	Shanghai. April 5.	April 5.	Deeds. 232 & 301.	2.	
Tantai.	7257	" " 4.	" "	Return visit.		
" .	7258	" " " .	" "	Mr. Hopkins's Claim.		
R. C. Wainwright.	7259	" " 5.	" "	Malcolm vs. Jenkins.		
Oriental Bank.	7260	" " " .	" "	Mrs. Wilkinson's B. of Ex.		
Admiral Patterson	7261	" " " .	" 6.	arrest & trial of U.S. seamen.		
"	7262	" " " .	" "	Discharge S. Francisco.		
U.S. Consul.	7263	Foochow. March 31.	" 5.	Sending $206 for Debt.	1.	
U.S.S. "Ashuelot"	7264	Shanghai. Apl. 6.	" 6.	Reward Allen Menzies.	1.	
Capt. Sumner.	7265	" " " 5.	" 6.	Mackay's debt to Patterson		
U.S. Consul.	7266	Hankow. " 1.	" "	Malcolm vs. Jenkins.	1.	
U.S.S. "Ashuelot"	7267	Shanghai. " 6.	" "	Sending for A. Menzies.		
"	7268	" " 8.	" 8.	Reward for P. Howard.	1.	

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Capt. Lapham.	4269	Shanghai. Apl. 8.	Apl. 8.	Cant obtain Am. for mate.		
Tentat.	4240	" " 5.	" " .	Appt. min Br. Consul Genl.		
" .	4241	" " " .	" " .	Desd No. 39.		
U.S. Consul.	4242	Hankow. " 3.	" " .	Sending dis. for Dist. Ltg. & J. Acct	6-	
District Magistrate.	4243	Shanghai. " 10.	" 10.	Return visit.		
U.S.S. "Ashuelot"	4244	" " " .	" " .	Sending for P. Harvard.		
U.S. Consul.	4245	Amoy. " 5.	" " .	Sending dis. for Dist.	3.	
O.B. Bradford.	4246	Shanghai. " 9.	" 9.	Handing dis. for Secty of State	1.	
U.S.N. Consul Genl.	4247	Yokohama. " 3.	" 11.	Claim agst "Hohe Lilieus"		
Russell & Co.	4248	Shanghai. " 10.	" " .	Desd No. 39.		
W.N. Drummond.	4249	" " " .	" " .	Holmes & Kaw Kwan case.		
Capt. Perkins.	4280	" " " .	" " .	Claim for Am. Seam.		
John L. Seaman.	4281	" " " .	" " .	Estate Eliza J. Bridgman.	1.	

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Rev. Jn. Blodget.	7282	Peking. Apl. 2.	Apl. 11.	Estate Eliza J. Bridgman.		
U.S. Consul.	7283	Ningpo. " 11.	" 12.	Send. dis for Asst. Legation	3.	
Taotai.	7284	Shanghai. " " .	" " .	Jn. Hopkins Claim.		
Austro Hungarian Consul	7285	" " " .	" " .	Mackay's claim of Patterson		
Taotai.	7286	" " 12.	" 13.	Jn. Hopkins Claim.		
U.S.S. "Monocacy".	7287	" " 13.	" " .	Mackay's claim of Patterson.		
U.S.S. "Ashuelot"	7288	" " 14.	" 14.	Reward for Seaman.	1.	
Austro Hungarian Consul.	7289	" " " .	" " .	Mackay's claim of Patterson	2.	
Capt. J.A. Brown.	7290	" " 15.	" 15.	Requesting arrest of Seaman.		
U.S.S. "Ashuelot"	7291	" " " .	" " .	Sending for Seaman.		
U.S.N. Consul.	7292	Hong Kong " 6.	" " .	Claims agt. Miss Edwards.		
Capt. Fitzhugh.	7293	Shanghai. " 15.	" " .	Rewards for 3 men.		
Admiral Patterson	7294	" " " .	" 16.	Arrest of Seaman		

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U.S. Consul.	7295	Foochow. Apl. 8.	Apl. 16.	Chinese text Treaties.		
Municipal Council	7296	Shanghai. " 15.	" " .	"Marines Home".		
Commissioner of Customs	7297	" . " 16.	" " .	Am. Hopkins Claim.	2.	
U.S. Minister.	7298	Peking. March 20.	" " .	Ack. 606/611.		
"	7299	Shanghai. Apl. 16.	" " .	24. Consul U.S.S. Bradford.		
"	7300	" " " .	" " .	22 " " " " .		
"	7301	" " " .	" " .	23 " " " " .		
U.S.S. "Ashuelot"	7302	" " 14.	" 14.	Reward for seaman.	1.	
A.M. Bisbee	7303	" " " .	" " .	Extracts of Will.		
R.J. Permewan.	7304	" " " .	" " .	$20. for Mess Richardson.		
State Department.	7305	Washington. July 19.	" 18 .	Release of O.B. Bradford	1.	
"	7306	" " 11.	" " .	Rec'd. 23/24 Am. Wells.		
Admiral Patterson	7307	Shanghai. Apl. 18.	" " .	Use of Rifle Butts.		

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Capt. Perkins.	4308	Shanghai April 18.	April 18.	Claim against A Mingies		
Rev. Jm. De Bere.	4309	" " " .	" " .	Imprisonment of chinaman.		
Lt. Belknap.	4310	" " 19.	" 19.	Shipment of 6. Guns.		
B.R. Lewis.	4311	" " " .	" " .	Jm. Bradford's case No. 83.	1.	
U.S. Consul.	4312	Foochow. " 13.	" " .	Leave of absence.		
S.C. Farnham & Co.	4313	Shanghai. " 20.	" 20.	Passage of Capt. Str. "Paokang"		
U.S.S. "Ashuelot"	4314	" " " " .	" " .	Rewards for two men.	2.	
Capt. Fitzhugh.	4315	" " " " .	" " .	" " ten " .	10.	
U.S.N. Consul.	4316	Hongkong. " 15.	" " .	Wages. seamen "Antioch"	1.	
Municipal Council	4317	Shanghai. " 20.	" " .	Use of Rifle Butts.		
Taotai.	4318	" " " " .	" " .	Boat is deeds. Mudflat land.		
Admiral Patterson.	4319	" " 22.	" 22.	Arrest of seaman.		
U.S. Minister	4320	" " " " .	" " .	Asking records to be sent to Dept.		

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Admiral Patterson	4321	Shanghai. April 22.	April. 22.	Use of Rifle Butts.		
Taotai.	4322	" " " .	" " .	Desd. No. 39.		
" .	4323	" " " .	" " .	Circular regarding Silk.		
Municipal Council.	4324	" " " .	" " .	Abatement of taxes.		
U.S.N. Consul.	4325	Newchwang " 8.	" 23.	Ack. dis. No. 94.		
"	4326	" " 9.	" " .	Sending returns.	4	
Lieut. Fitzhugh.	4327	Shanghai. " 23.	" " .	Use of Rifle Butts.		
"	4328	" " " .	" 24.	do.		
U.S. Consul.	4329	Hankau. " 18.	" 25.	Sending dis. for Debt.	1.	
"	4330	" . " 14.	" " .	Ack. rect. dis 214.		
Fifth Auditor	4331	Washington. March. 18.	" " .	Asking for returns. 1877.		
State Department.	4332	" May. 26.	" " .	Ack. 25 to 28. Am Wells 29/31 Am. Stahl. regarding Marshals &c.		
Mrs. Chas. L. Hill.	4333	Bridgport Conn March.	" " .	Petition Hill vs. Hill	2-	

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W. S. Watmore.	7334	Shanghai. Apl. 24.	Apl. 25.	Document for translation	1.	
L. P. Knight.	7335	" " 26.	" 26	asking pass to depart guns.		
Tientsin.	7336	" " " .	" " .	Rec. Du Bois case.		
Kelly & Walsh.	7337	" " " .	" " .	Estate. Blanchard.		
U.S. Minister.	7338	" " " .	" 27.	Mr. Bradford's case.		
U.S. Consul.	7339	Tientsin. " 18.	" " .	Send. No. 11 for Legation	1.	
W. S. Watmore	7340	Shanghai. " 25.	" " .	Rec'd No 338.		
Tientsin.	7341	" " 28.	" 29.	Permit for guns.	1.	
J. J. Coffey.	7342	" " 29.	" " .	Mr. Bradford's case.	1.	
Capt. Weir.	7343	" " " .	" " .	Arrest of seamen.	1.	
A. Silvestrini.	7344	" " " .	" " .	Estate W. R. Adams.		
A. Walsh.	7345	" " " .	" 30.	" Blanchard.		
J. H. Wisner.	7346	" " " .	" " .	Hill vs. Hill.		

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Taotai.	7347	Shanghai. May 1.	May 1.	Desp 336.	2	
"	7348	" " "	" "	" 337	2	
U.S.N. Vessel.	7349	Hong Kong. Apl. 26.	" 2.	Miss Edwards case		
U.S. Vessel.	7350	Tientsin " 24.	" "	Five cases for Department	5	
U.S. Minister.	7351	Shanghai. " 30.	" "	Mr. Bradford's case.		
"	7352	" " "	" "	Mr. Bi's property released at request of minister.		
J.M. Schmidt.	7353	" " "	" "	Estate of Blanchard.	2	
Lt. J.S. Loo.	7354	" May 1.	" "	Debenture certificates.		
Gen. Van Buren.	7355	Kanagawa. Apl. 23.	" "	Returns to duty.		
W. Mann Jones & Co	7356	Louistown Pa. March 22.	" "	Regarding standing Kelly & Walsh		
M.J. Yates.	7357	Shanghai. May 3.	" 3.	Hill vs. Hill.		
A. Reis.	7358	" " 4.	" 4.	Reward for seaman.		
Lieut. Litchfield.	7359	" " "	" "	Sending for seamen		

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J. Davy.	4360	San Francisco Apl. 2	Mch. 2.	Inquiring for Ex. boots.		
G. C. Bell.	4361	Shanghai. Mch.	" 6.	Chief Office of Lucha.		
U.S. Consul.	4362	Amoy. " 2.	" 7.	Dispatch 99 for Legation.		
U.S. Minister.	4363	Shanghai. " 6.	" " .	asking ale books be sent home.		
U.S. Consul.	4364	Foochow. " 2.	" 8.	Leave of absence		
Taotai	4365	Shanghai. " 9.	" 10.	Desp No. 338.		
Dr. R. Harris.	4366	Hong Kong. " 3.	" 11.	Estate W.C. Blanchard.	1.	
Lieut. Fitzhugh.	4367	Shanghai. " 13.	" 13.	Sending deserters on board		
U.S. Consul.	4368	Canton. " 2.	" 14.	" 44/48 for Department.	2	
H.B.M. Consul.	4369	Shanghai. " 11.	" " .	asking for copy of Treaty.		
Prussian Minister	4370	Hong Kong " 14	" 15.	Telegram for mails.		
Taotai.	4371	Shanghai. " 15	" 16.	Circular on silk.		
U.S. Vice Consul.	4372	Hong Kong. " 10	" " .	Miss Edwards case		

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Capt. Fitzhugh.	4343	Shanghai. May. 16.	May. 16.	Sending for seaman.		
Geo. E. Bell.	4344	" " 14.	" 14.	Estate of Blanchard.		
U.S. Consul.	4345	Hankow. " 14.	" 18.	U.S. Ensigns.		
Mackenzie & Co.	4346	Shanghai. " 22.	" 22.	Mackenzie & Co vs. Smith.		
Department of State	4347	Washington Apl 8.	" 23.	Ack. 32/41.		
U.S. Consul.	4348	Amoy. May. 18.	" " .	Letter for Customs S. Francisco	1.	
Chamber of Commerce	4349	Shanghai. " 22	" " .	Memo. Currency in China.		
Dr. F. Hitte.	4380	" " " .	" " .	Estate. E. E. Painter.		
J. Inchin.	4381	" " 16	" " .	Wages. Str "Paokang"		
P & O. S. N. Co.	4383	" " 28	" " .	Paymaster Brown's pkg.		
P. O. Dept.	4383	Washington. Apl. 8.	" " .	Rec't. Dead letters.		
U.S. Dispatch agt.	4384	London. " 2.	" " .	Forwarding pkg.		
Kelly Walker & Pell.	4385	Southampton " 9	" " .	do.		

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H. L. Gardan.	4386	Shanghai. Mar. 23.	Mar. 24.	Estate O. K. Gardan (dec'd)		
Taotai.	4387	" " "	" "	Wm to act as Nice Rep.		
J. A Shindel.	4388	Washington Feb. 27.	" "	Requesting P.O. Stamps.		
U.S. Consul.	4389	Amoy. Mar. 21.	" "	Sending dis. for Delt & Leg.	2.	
Gibb Livingston & Co	4390	Shanghai. " 25.	" 25.	P.P. Knights packages.		
Taotai	4391	" " " 27.	" 27.	Rm. Du Bosc case.		
J. H. Wessner.	4392	" " " 25.	" "	Estate of C. D. Painter.		
"	4393	" " " "	" "	do.		
Olyphant & Co	4394	New York. " 24.	" "	Telegram do.		
Capt. Percy.	4395	Shanghai. " 27.	" "	Mate for Bg "Vesta"		
R. A. Society.	4396	" " " 26.	" 28.	Books. Smithsonian Inst.		
U.S. Consul.	4397	Canton. " 19.	" 29.	Send dis. for Legation.	1.	
L. S. Baldwin.	4398	Foochow. " 20.	" "	Regarding mails.		

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Capt. Pittsburgh.	4399	Shanghai. May. 31.	May. 31.	Reward lists.	8.	
U.S. Vice Consul.	4400	Tsintau. " 25.	" " .	ack. dispatch 136.		
J. H. Wisner.	4401	Shanghai. " 27	" " .	Estate D. B. Tsintau.		
Tsintau	4402	" . " 31.	June 1.	Permission to drill men.		Refused.
Department of State	4403	Washington. Apl. 22.	" " .	Sch. William Phillips	1.	
"	4404	" " " "	" " .	Effects of deceased citizens		
"	4405	" " " "	" " .	Regt. of Band.		
Tsintau.	4406	Shanghai. May. 29.	" " .	Desp 338.	2	
U.S. Consul.	4407	Amoy. " 28.	" " .	Instr. dis. for Debt & Legation	2	
Capt. Pittsburgh.	4408	Shanghai. June. 3.	" 3.	Landing men for drill.		
Persian Minister	4409	Hong Kong. May 27	" 5.	Regt. of mail & letter for Amb.	1.	
Tsuneaco.	4410	" . " 29	" " .	Estate of King & Co.		
U.S.N. Consul.	4411	Hiogo. " 31	" 6.	Ack. Rg & Landing Perm.		

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Taotai.	4412	Shanghai. June 7.	June 8.	Landing men for drill.		
A. Malcolm.	4413	Hongkong. " 3.	" " .	Malcolm vs Jenkins 653		
S. Hsieh. Customs	4414	Shanghai. " 8	" " .	ask. opt. opium from H.Kong		
U.S. Minister	4415	Peking. June 24.	" " .	Markham's road.		
W. Mang Jack.	4416	Shanghai. June 10.	" 10.	Claim agst "Haeusinki".	2	
J. H. Harris.	4414	" " " .	" " .	Am. Jamieson Sick.		
J. M. Moore.	4418	Tientsin. " 4.	" 11.	Est. of Wheelwright.		
Rev. Du Bose.	4419	Soochow. June 30.	" " .	Imprisonment of Chinaman		
Consul Gen. Portugal	4420	Shanghai. June 8.	" " .	Braga & White case.		
H. Wilson.	4421	" " " 12	" 12.	Landing Res.		
S. S. Yamhanseo	4422	" " " 13	" 13.	Water on boilers.		
Taotai.	4423	" " " "	" "	Landing troops for drill.		
S. Hsieh (Customs)	4424	" " " "	" 14.	Opium Hongkong to U.S.		

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Capt. Fitzhugh.	7425	Shanghai June. 14.	June. 14.	Reward notices.	3.	
U.S. Minister.	7426	Peking. " 8.	" 15.	Gaingham on leave.		
W.L. Wilmot.	7427	Shanghai. " 15.	" " .	Mr. Macbeth.		
Chief of Police.	7428	" " " 14.	" 14.	Arrest. two sailors.		
U.S. Consul.	7429	Foochow. " 13.	" " .	Send. Dis. 207 for Dept.	1.	
Mrs. Lang.	7430	Shanghai. " 14.	" " .	Mr. Macbeth.		
B. Mantuo.	7431	" " "	" " .	Visits Japanese teach.		
A. Blodgett.	7432	Peking. " 11.	" 18.	Ext. Mrs. Bridgman. (dec'd).		
D. Latham	7433	Shanghai. " 18.	" " .	Sustains rehearts.		
U.S. Consul.	7434	Newchwang " 13.	" " .	Sch". W. Phillips"	1.	
Commis. of Customs.	7435	" " 14.	" 19.	Breach of Pilot Regulations.	3.	
U.S.N. Consul	7436	Hong Kong. " 13.	" " .	Opium to U.S.		
Prussian Minister	7437	Canton. " " .	" " .	ack. letters & dispatch.		

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A. Malcolm.	7438	Hongkong. June 13.	June 19.	Malcolm on Jenkins (653)		
Tautai.	7439	Shanghai. " 19.	" " .	Clan. dues 338.		
J. S. Crawford.	7440	Washington. May 6.	" 20.	U.S. mails.		
"	7441	" " 4.	" " .	Postal guide.		
Wm. W. Marton.	7442	" Apl. 26.	" " .	Recht. dead letters.		
Dept. of State.	7443	" " 29.	" " .	Letter of Wm. Henderson.		
"	7444	" May 3.	" " .	Ext. J. W. Ruggles (decd.)	3.	
H. W. Cunningham.	7445	Belfast. " 4.	" " .	" J. W. Cunningham " .		
Russell & Co.	7446	Shanghai. June 19.	" " .	Decd. 39.		
T. B. Bailey.	7447	New York. May 6.	" " .	Ext. T. H. B. Jenkins (decd.)		
Capt. Fitzhugh.	7448	Shanghai. June 21	" 21 .	Funds for men.	3.	
U.S. Consul.	7449	Foochow. " 18	" " .	Send. dis. 209 for Dept.	1	
"	7450.	Canton. " "	" 22.	Schr. W. Phillips		

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U.S. Consul.	7451	Canton. June 15.	June 22.	Send. dis. for Debt.	1.	
Dist. Magistrate.	7452	Shanghai. " 21.	" " .	Warrant for Recd.	1.	
Taotai.	7453	" . " 24.	" 24.	Elephant & Co's permits.		
U.S. Consul.	7454	Hong Kong. " 20.	" " .	claim agst. "Nanusink".	1.	
Olyphant & Co.	7455	Shanghai. " 22.	" " .	Dr Holmes acct.		
Chester Holcombe.	7456	Peking. " 14.	" 25.	Copies dispatches 620/14.		
U.S.N. Consul.	7457	Hong Kong. " 19.	" 26.	Opium to U.S.		
Legation.	7458	Peking. " 21	" 27	Tonnage dues mail Strs.		
" .	7459	" . " "	" "	Trade Regulations.		
Co. Fischer	7460	Yokohama. " 18.	" "	Lost. King & Co. Cantons.		
Lieut. Van Buren.	7461	" " 19.	" "	Sending Rankin to U.S.		
Capt. Fitzhugh.	7462	Shanghai. " 27	" "	Smuggling liquor on board.		
W.S. Wetmore.	7463	" " "	" "	asking for Decd.		

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H. S. Samuel.	7464	Foochow. June 24	June 29.	Leave of absence	1	

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April	1.	11264	Capt. Boyd "Alert" Shanghai.	Ack. discharge of G. Fuller.	
"	2	11268	Fifth Auditor Washington.	Accts. & returns. 1st. Qr. 1848.	8.
"	"	11269	Capt. Sumner. "Manoeuvre" Shanghai.	Arrest of S. Goff.	
"	"	11270	R. W. Taylor 4th Auditor Washington.	Forwarding dispatch of R. Muspratt.	1.
"	"	11271	Consular Agent. Chefoo.	Holmes and Kow Kuw San case.	
"	3.	11272	U.S. Legation Peking.	Trade dollar and Shanghai Harbor.	2.
"	"	11273	Judge French. Shanghai	Assuming charge of Supreme Court.	
"	"	11274	Taotai. Shanghai.	Returning visit.	
"	"	11275	U. S. Consul. Amoy.	Acknowledgment of dispatch No. 113.	
"	"	11276	Fifth Auditor Washington.	Sending Court and fait acct.	1.
"	4.	11277	Admiral Patterson. Shanghai.	Offences by U.S. Seamen on Shore.	
"	"	11278	do. do.	Discharge of J. Francisco	1.
"	"	11279	Agent Oriental Bank. do.	Asking for B/Ex. Mrs. Wilkinson.	1.

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Apl.	4	11280	Taotai Shanghai.	Processions	
"	"	11281	U.S. Consul. Amoy.	Sending dispatch to Siam Legation	1.
"	5	11282	U.S. Consul. Foochow.	Leave of absence.	1.
"	"	11283	U.S. Watmore. Shanghai.	Deeds. Nos. 232. and 301.	2.
"	"	11284	Agent. Oriental Bank. Shanghai.	Mrs. Wilkinsons B/L. &c.	3.
"	"	11285	Rev. W.A. Holt. Shanghai	Sale of Christian books.	
"	"	11286	Capt. Symmes "Manoocacy" Shanghai.	McKay's debt to Patterson.	
"	6	11287	Italian Consul General. Shanghai.	not sent.	
"	"	11288	Capt. Perkins "Ashuelot" Shanghai.	Arrest of Mangels.	
"	"	11289	U.S. Consul. Foochow.	acknowledging 205 & 206 for Department.	
"	"	11290	Austro Hungarian Consul, Shanghai.	McKay's debt to Patterson.	
"	"	11291	J. B. Yates. Shanghai.	Deed No. 39.	
"	"	11292	Admiral Patterson Shanghai.	Arrest of U.S. seamen for petty offences.	

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April. 8.	11293	Admiral Patterson Shanghai.	Complaint against Master at Arms U.S.S. "Alert".	
" "	11294	Capt. Braun. " .	Arrest J. Vintze.	
" "	11295	Capt. Sumner. " .	Mckay's debt to Patterson.	
" "	11296	Edward Fischer Yokohama.	Mrs. Wilkinson's. B. of Ex.	3.
" "	11294	U.S. Consul. Ningpo.	Forwarding 32. from Legation.	1.
" "	11298	" Hankow.	" 46 " " .	1.
" "	11299	" " .	Execution Malcolm vs. Jenkins.	
" "	11300	Capt. Bard. Shanghai.	Arrest. of W. Morris.	
" 9	11301	Taotai Shanghai.	Mr. Hopkins Horse.	
" "	11302	Capt. Perkins Shanghai.	Arrest of Howard.	
" "	11303	Collector of Customs San Francisco.	Triplicate invoices	19.
" 10	11304	Taotai Shanghai.	Invoice 336.	5.
" "	11305	" " .	" " 334.	9.

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April	10	11306	Capt. Perkins. Shanghai.	Claim against Lin Ah Liau.	
"	11	11307	U.S.N. Consul General. Kanagawa.	Claim against Hohe Fielding.	1.
"	"	11308	W.N. Drummond. Shanghai.	Holmes and Kow Kwo San case.	
"	"	11309	Taotai Shanghai.	Desp No. 39.	
"	"	11310	Russell & Co. Shanghai.	" " .	
"	12	11311	Municipal Council Shanghai.	American Mariners. Name.	
"	"	11312	U.S. Consul Ningpo.	Ack. dispatches for Department & Legation.	
"	"	11313	Taotai Shanghai.	Am. Methodist land.	
"	"	11314	R. Francis Shanghai.	Claim against Mrs. Mills.	
"	"	11315	Taotai Shanghai.	Desp No. 39.	
"	13.	11316	Capt. Sumner. Shanghai.	McKay's claim Patterson.	
"	"	11314	Taotai Shanghai.	Am. Hopkins Claim.	
"	"	11318	Austro Hungarian Consul Shanghai	McKay's claim Patterson	1.

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Apl. 13.	11319	B.R. Lewis. Shanghai.	Mr. Hopkins Hankow case.	
" "	11320	U.S. Consul. Foochow.	Sending No. 56. from Legation.	1.
" "	11321	" Canton.	" " 35 " " .	1.
" 15	11322	Capt. Perkins. Shanghai.	Arrest of S. Armenia.	
" "	11323	Capt. Sumner. " .	Mc Kay. claim of Patterson.	2.
" "	11324	Admiral Patterson " .	Arrest of Benton.	
" "	11325	Capt. Sumner. " .	" " Roberts & Bailey.	
" "	11326	U.S.N. Consul. Hong Kong.	Claims against Miss. Edwards.	
" "	11327.	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest of A. Smith.	
" 16	11328	B.R. Lewis. Act. Chief Consul Shanghai	2d. Consul U.S. vs. Bradford.	
" 19	11329	Admiral Patterson Shanghai.	Arrest. S. Steam. "Palos"	
" "	11330	Capt. Perkins. " .	Silverthorne claim against Mengia.	4.
" 18	11331	U.S. Consul. Chinkiang.	Papers missing correspondence.	

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April	18	11332	Consular Body. Shanghai.	Notice of departure of "Alert" & "Ashuelot".	
"	"	11333	Municipal Council. Shanghai.	asking permission to use Rifle Butts for Lowell gun.	
"	19	11334	Taotai Shanghai.	Imprisonment of Chen Yuen Fu.	
"	"	11335	Admiral Patterson.	Use of Rifle Butts.	
"	"	11336	Lt. Belknap. Shanghai.	Shipment of S. Finch.	
"	"	11337	U.S. Consul. Foochow.	Sending Chinese text of Treaties	1.
"	20	11338	do.	Leave of absence.	
"	"	11339	Chairman M. Council Shanghai.	Abatement of taxes.	1.
"	"	11340	U.S. Minister (Peking) " .	24. Count. U.S. vs. Bradford.	1.
"	"	11341	Admiral Patterson " .	Use of rifle butts.	
"	"	11342	Chairman. M. Council " .	do.	
"	"	11343	U.S. Minister (Peking) " .	22d. Count U.S. vs. Bradford.	
"	22	11344	Capt. Pike. "Agate" " .	Arrest of 2d mate.	

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April 22	11345	Admiral Patterson Shanghai.	Arrest of S. Oberon "Manoocacy"	
" "	11346	State Department. Washington.	Letter book to Kobe.	
" "	11344	" "	Death of W. B. Blanchard.	
" "	11348	" "	Ack. dispatch re. release Mr. Bradford.	
" "	11349	U.S. Minister (Peking) Shanghai.	24th. Journ. U.S. vs. Bradford.	
" "	11350	" " "	Ack. "Ltr. 4" to and papers re. to Dept.	
" 23	11351	Capt. Fitzhugh. "	Use of Rifle Butts.	
" "	11352	State Department Washington.	Send. documents U.S. vs. Bradford.	5.
" 24	11353	Chairman. M. Council Shanghai.	Trial of Gatling gun.	
" "	11354	Collector of Customs. New York.	Triplicate invoices	46.
" "	11355	State Department. Washington.	Telegram regarding Mr. Bradford.	
" "	11356	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Gatling gun.	
" "	11354	Collector of Customs S. Francisco.	Triplicate Invoices.	12.

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April	24	11358	U.S.N. Samuel Hongkong.	Manifest of cruise of "Antioch"	
"	25	11359	U.S. Samuel Ningpo.	Sending Dis. 63 from Department.	1.
"	"	11360	" Amoy.	" " 49 " " "	1.
"	"	11361	" Foochow.	" " 100 " " "	1.
"	"	11362	" Hankow.	Ack. rect. " 45 for "	
"	26	11363	Taotai Shanghai.	Exportation of Gatling gun.	
"	27	11364	J. J. Boffey Shanghai.	U.S. vs. Bradford.	
"	"	11365	J.H. Wisner "	Hill vs. Hill.	
"	29	11366	U.S. Minister "	Mr. Boffey's statement U.S. vs. Bradford	1.
"	30	11367	T. P. Knight "	Export Gatling gun to Tientsin.	
May	1.	11368	Capt. Pitzhugh "	arrest of T. Brown.	
"	2	11369	U.S. Samuel. Tientsin.	Ack. Dis, No. 10 for Department.	

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May	2	11370	Mr. J. Yates. Shanghai.	Hill vs. Hill	1.
"	"	11371	U.S. Consul. Canton.	Sending Dis. 23. from Department.	1.
"	"	11372	" Hankow.	" " 14. " " .	1.
"	3.	11373	Taotai. Shanghai.	Desd. 338.	3.
"	"	11374	Municipal Council Shanghai.	Mr. Murphy's license.	1.
"	"	11375	U.S. Consul General. Kanagawa.	Mr. Van Buren's return.	
"	"	11376	U.S.N. Consul. Hong Kong.	Claims against miss. Edwards.	1.
"	"	11377	Wm. Mann Jr. & Co. Luisiana Peru.	Regarding Miss. Kelly & Walsh.	
"	4	11378	U.S. Minister Shanghai.	Mr. Hopkins's leave.	1.
"	"	11379	Capt. Fitzhugh. " .	Arrest. of two seamen.	
"	6	11380	Mrs. C. C. Hill Bridgeport.	Hill vs. Hill.	1.
"	"	11381	J. M. Blackfan. Washington.	P.O. a/c. 1st 2d. 1878.	1.
"	"	11382	Chamber of Commerce Shanghai.	Memo. on Currency in China.	4-

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May. 6.	11383	Chamber of Commerce. New York.	Memo on Currency in China.	2.
" 7	11384	State Department. Washington.	Mr. Bradford's case.	2.
" "	11385	Fifth Auditor " .	" accounts.	1.
" "	11386	Collector of Customs San Francisco.	Triplicate Invoices.	15.
" "	11387	U.S. Minister Peking.	Mr. Bradford's attachment.	
" "	11388	U.S. Consul. Tientsin.	Sending telegram for Mr. Seward.	1.
" 9	11389	German Consul General. Shanghai.	Appointment of Committee	
" "	11390	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest of J. Riley.	
" 10	11391	State Department. Washington.	Estate of King & Co. of Canton	4.
" 11	11392	G. G. Hopkins. Shanghai.	Bond in Flour case.	1.
" 13	11393	Capt. Fitzhugh. " .	Arrest of two seamen.	
" "	11394	" " " .	Sending two seamen on board.	
" 15	11395	Prussian Minister. Hong Kong.	Sending mail.	8.

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May 16	11396	Taotai. Shanghai.	Duds. No. 39 and 270.	
" "	11394	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest of seaman.	
" 20	11398	U.S. Consul. Hankow.	Bills for flags.	3.
" "	11399	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest of J. Williams.	
" "	11400	Taotai Shanghai.	Silk. circular.	
" 22	11401	C.T.J. Trading Co. Shanghai.	Debentures for Kerosine oil in tin.	
" "	11402	Capt. Fitzhugh. "	Arrest of Wheatly.	
" 23	11403	U.S. Consul. Chinkiang.	Sending No. 31. from State Department.	1.
" "	11404	U.S. Consul. Osaca. & Hiogo.	Sending books and asking for seal.	1.
" "	11405	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest of three seamen.	
" "	11406	Secty. Treasury Washington.	Sending entitl. for Kerosine oil in tin.	
" "	11404	State. Department. "	Sending dis. 83 for Secty. Treasury.	1.
" 24	11408	Fifth Auditor "	Returning two letters for Mr. Wells.	2.

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May 24	11409	H.L. Gardan. Shanghai.	Estate O.K. Gardan died.	
" "	11410	Tsintai " .	Ack. notice of appt. acting Vice Cons.	
" "	11411	J.A. Shendel. Washington.	Sending P.O. stamps.	1.
" "	11412	J.S. Brainard " .	Sending cases of letters sent via Europe	6.
" "	11413	J. Coey San Francisco.	In regard to last mail.	
" 25	11414	U.S. Minister Peking.	Memo. Currency in China.	1.
" "	11415	Collector of Customs San Francisco.	Triplicate Invoices.	15
" "	11416	Tsintai Shanghai.	Ret. Mr. Shuai's passport.	1.
" "	11417	U.S. Consul. Hankow.	Sending dis. 47. from Legation.	1.
" "	11418	" Amoy.	" " 51 " " .	1.
" "	11419	Messrs. Gibb Livingston & Co Shanghai.	Packages for P.O. Knight Esq.	8.
" "	11420	J. Haas. Shanghai.	" " Royal Asiatic Society.	2
" "	11421	U.S. Consul. Newchwang.	Notice of arrival of books.	

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May.	27	11422	Russell & Co Shanghai.	Desp No. 39.	2
"	28	11423	Rev. H. Blodget. Peking.	Estate. Eliza J. Bridgman. (dec'd)	1.
"	"	11424	Taotai Shanghai.	Asking permission to land seamen from U.S.S. "Monongahela"	
"	29	11425	Collector of Customs San Francisco	Triplicate Invoices.	2.
"	"	11426	A. Pruhl. Shanghai.	Re loss damage to chair S. G. R. Seller.	1.
"	30	11427	J. M. Moore. Tientsin.	Est. J. Whelwright (dec'd)	
"	"	11428	L. S. Baldwin. Foochow.	U.S. Mails.	
"	31	11429	Capt. Wise "Pelas" Tientsin.	Sending telegram	1.
"	"	11430	Edward Fischer. Yokohama.	Est. King & Co.	
June	1	11431	Capt. Pittsburgh. Shanghai.	Drilling men on Pooting.	1.
"	"	11432	U.S. Consul. Tientsin.	Paid. dis: 44. from Delft.	1.
"	"	11433	" . Amoy.	" " 80/1 " " .	2.
"	"	11434	" . Canton.	" " 24 " " .	1.

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June 1	11435	U.S. Consul. Newchwang.	Schr. "William Phillips".	
" "	11436	S.D. Webb. Shanghai.	Sales ordered on commission.	
" "	11437	U.S. Consul. Canton.	Schr. "William Phillips":	
" 3.	11438	State Department. Washington.	Sending effects (dec'd American-	1.
" "	11439	Collector of Port. San Francisco.	" " " "	1.
" "	11440	Consul Shanghai	Landing men for drill.	
" 4	11441	" "	Decd. 338.	
" 5	11442	American Minister. Hong Kong.	Sch. dispatch.	
" "	11443	Messrs. Jones & Co "	Estate of King & Co	2.
" 4.	11444	Capt. Pittsburgh Shanghai.	Arrest of seamen.	
" 8	11445	Secty. of Treasury. Washington.	Est. W.R. Adams. dec'd	13.
" "	11446	State Dept. "	Schr. "William Phillips"	1.
" "	11447	" " "	Est. of W.R. Adams (dec'd)	1.

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June	9.	11448	Collect. of Customs. San Francisco	Triplicate invoices.	15.
"	"	11449	" " " " Miss Mark.	" "	38.
"	"	11450	A. Malcolm. Hong Kong.	Malcolm vs. Jenkins No. 653.	
"	"	11451	F. Hutte. Customs. Shanghai.	Opium from H. Kong to U.S.	
"	"	11452	U.S. Consul Hong Kong.	" " " " "	
"	"	11453	Agt. N.D.N. & S.S.Co. Shanghai	Ticket for Nakahama.	
"	"	11454	U.S. Consul Genl, Kanagawa.	Sending destitute seaman.	
"	10	11455	U.S. Consul. Amoy.	" 52/3 from Legation.	2.
"	"	11456	" Foochow.	" 57/8 " " .	2.
"	"	11457	Agt. Pittsburgh. Shanghai	arrest of J. Riley.	
"	"	11458	U.S. Minister. Peking.	Ack. No. 118.	
"	"	11459	U.S. Vice Consul Hong Kong.	Claim agst. Bk. "Nanusink".	2.
"	12	11460	Acting Consul. Genl for Portugal, Shai.	White + Braga case	

[Form No. 119.]

Register *of Official Letters and Dispatches sent from the United States Consulate General at Shanghai, China, for the Quarter ending* ..... *18* .

DATE.	NO.	TO WHOM AND WHAT PLACE SENT.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	NO. OF ENCLOSURES.
June 12	11461.	H. Wilson. Shanghai.	Asking about claim.	
" "	11462	Tantai. " .	Arrest of Chin Lin fan.	
" 13	11463	Capt. Fitzhugh. " .	Drill of men.	
" 14	11464.	U.S.N. Consul Hongkong.	Opium from H'Kong to U.S.	
" "	11465	Capt. Fitzhugh Shanghai.	Arrest of men.	
" 17	11466	Rev. C. DuBose. Soochow.	Arrest of Chin Lin fan.	
" "	11467	Chief of Police Shanghai	Recipt of two seamen.	
" "	11468	Capt. Bray " .	Arrest of two seamen.	
" "	11469	Dept. of State. Washington.	Appt. of constable at Soochow.	1.
" "	11470	U.S. Consul. Soochow.	Ack. dis No. 109.	
" "	11471	S. White Shanghai.	Japanese trouble.	
" "	11472	Wm. Long. " .	Wm. Machette.	
" 18	11473	E. Hintz Customs Shanghai	Opium to U.S.	

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June	18	11474	Supt. Trade (Customs) Shanghai.	Customs reports.	
"	"	11475	Taotai Shanghai.	Canceling duc 328.	
"	"	11476	U.S. Consul. Newchwang.	Schr. "W. Phillips".	
"	19	11477	Supt. Trade. Customs. Shanghai.	Opium to U.S.	
"	"	11478	A. Malcolm. HongKong.	Malcolm vs Jenkins (No. 653)	1.
"	"	11479	U.S.N. Consul " .	Opium to U.S.	
"	"	11480	Taotai Shanghai.	Duc 338.	
"	"	11481	Dept. of State. Washington.	Schr. "W. Phillips".	1.
"	"	11482	Taotai Shanghai.	Permit for Elephant & Cais. rifles.	
"	20	11483	U.S. Consul. Hankow.	Sending dis. 15 from Dept.	1.
"	"	11484	" Amoy.	" " 82 " " .	1.
"	"	11485	Collector of Customs San Francisco.	" B/L. box for Dept.	1.
"	"	11486	Dept. of State. Washington.	" Pecan books.	1.

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June	20	11487	C.S. Lawton. Chicago.	Cert. D.W. Ruggles. (dec'd)	
"	"	11488	Jaunar. Burridge Evanstown. Ill.	" " " .	
"	"	11489	Mrs. Ruggles. " " " .	" " " .	
"	"	11490	Dpartment of State. Washington.	Ack. No. 13.	
"	"	11491	" " .	" " 14.	
"	"	11492	H.W. Cunningham. Belfast me.	Cert. D.W. Cunningham. (dec'd)	
"	"	11493	Collector of Customs. San Francisco.	Invoices.	13.
"	21	11494	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest. two men.	
"	"	11495	U.S. Consul. Foochow.	Recpt. of dis 110.	
"	"	11496	Dept. of State. Washington.	Ack. rect. Register 1877.	
"	"	11497	" " .	Inv. Mm. De. Lanai. 209.	1.
"	22	11498	Capt Reynolds. Shanghai.	arrest of Johnson.	
"		11499	U.S.N. Consul. Hong Kong.	Schr. W. Phillips	

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DATE.		NO.	TO WHOM AND WHAT PLACE SENT.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	NO. OF ENCLOSURES.
June	24.	11500	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest of man.	
"	"	11501	U.S. Legation. Peking.	S.C. Farnham & Co's bailee.	1.
"	"	11502	S.C. Farnham & Co. Shanghai.	do.	
"	"	11503	U.S.N. Consul. Hongkong.	Claim agst. "Nanzenk".	
"	"	11504	Oliphant & Co. Shanghai.	Ack. rect. $ 72.25 for Dr Colman.	
"	25	11505	Taotai " .	Pass. for rifles.	
"	"	11506	Commis of Customs " .	Breach of Pilot regulations.	
"	26	11507	U.S.N. Consul. Hongkong.	Opium to U.S.	
"	"	11508	Dept. of State. Washington.	Marriage W.H. Graham.	1.
"	"	11509	" " .	Mr. Myers. vouchers.	1.
"	"	11510	S.C. Farlow. Newmark.	Cert. of U.S. Jenkins.	
"	"	11511	Legation. Peking.	Copies dispatches 120/24.	4.
"	27	11512	" " .	Ack. dis. 122.	

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DATE.	NO.	TO WHOM AND WHAT PLACE SENT.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	NO. OF ENCLOSURES
June 28	11513	Walt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Smuggling liquor on board.	
" 29	11514.	U.S. Consul. Foochow.	Leave of absence	

Dft. O. K.
Shanghai. June 30. 1874

M. Clemmons

No. 94.

Ack. Sept. 26. 78

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United States Consulate General
Shanghai. July 8. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State
Washington. D.C.

Subject of dispatch.

Forwarding Masonic certificates belonging to Lt. W.C. Blanchard died. addressed to. W.E. Salmon. Esq. Lowell. Mass.

No. 94.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. July 8. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir.

I beg leave to apologize for the forwarding of a package in the through pouch of 30. ult. without an official dispatch requesting the Department to forward it. as addressed. The package contained masonic certificates belonging to the late W. C. Blanchard and was addressed to W. F. Salman Esq. Proxy Ancient Land Mark. Lodge. Lowell Mass. Trusting the Department will pardon this oversight.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant.
J. Hakel.
Vice Consul General

Shanghai. W Wood

Telegram

Paris July 12. 1878.

Evarts
Secretary of State
Washington

Accept, will forward
bond. Sail Shanghai
immediately.

Bailey.

Cert. ordered
July 15, 78

Shanghai Wood

Separate

Paris

July 12th 1878

Hon. W. M. Evarts

Secretary of State

Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the following telegram:

"Washington July 11th"

"Bailey - Sixty one Avenue Opera Paris"

"You are instructed to"

"take charge at Shanghai as"

"his Consul General. Nomination"

"as Consul General will follow"

"at next Session of Senate."

"Telegraph acceptance and forward bond."

"Evarts. Secretary"

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
JUL 30 1878
RECEIVED

I have this day forwarded the following answer by Cable:

"Evarts. Secretary State. Washington"
"Accept. Will forward bond. Sail Shanghai"
"immediately. Bailey"

In accordance with the above instruction I shall proceed by the first English mail steamer, via Brindisi and Suez, to Shanghai, where I hope to arrive about the 1st of September, and shall thereupon assume charge of that Consulate General in obedience to your instruction.

I have requested my Agent at home to file the necessary bond in the Department.

Thanking you for this

mark of confidence and
trusting that I shall be able
to so perform my duties
as to merit your approbation

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

David St. Bailey

Lieut. General U. S. N.

Mr Clements.

no. 95.

Relative
Acc' acct
Sept. 2. 6. 78

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. July 15. 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Subject of dispatch.
Forwarding acct. travelling expenses
from Japan to Shanghai.

Inclosures.
no. 1. Receipts acct. for $200-

No: 95.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. July 15th. 1848.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge your dispatch No. 15. with its. inclosures. and to express my gratitude to the Department for the allowance made for. my travelling expenses from Japan to Shanghai.

In accordance with the Department's instructions, I herewith inclose the blank. form (marked "Enclosure No. 1") duly executed. I also beg to inclose a modified account to the Fifth Auditor which I respectfully request the Department will forward. with the voucher aforesaid.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant.
J. Fahel
Vice Consul General

Mr Clements

No. 96.

ack. Sept. 26. 78

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. July. 15 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Subject of dispatch.
Acknowledgment of Nos. 16 & 14. and
release of J. W. Lockhardt.

No. 96.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. July 15 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatches No. 16 & 19. the latter inclosing the President's pardon of Theodore W. Eckfeldt. which according to the Department's instructions I delivered to him and released him from custody.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
J. Hahn
Vice Consul General

Mr. Clements

Pub. appy to Sec of War.

No. 97.

Wrote War Dept. Sept. 13th

Ack. Sept. 26, 78

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. July 15th. 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Subject of dispatch
asking for loan of Medical & surgical
Statistics of the War. for. Chinese
Customs.

Inclosure.
No. 1. Dr. Jamieson's letter

No. 94.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. July. 15th. 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir.

I have the honor to inclose herewith a copy of a letter from Dr. Jamieson of the Imperial Maritime Customs of China asking for a copy of the Medical & Surgical Statistics of the War. and respectfully recommend that his request be granted.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
J. Hahel
Vice Consul General

(Copy)

Custom House

Shanghai. 13. July. 1878.

To the Hon. the Consul General U.S.A.

Shanghai.

Sir.

I beg that you will be kind enough to endeavour to obtain for the Medical Department of this office a copy of.

The Medical Statistics of the Provost Marshals General's Bureau. 2 Vols. 4to.

Washington.

I have already been supplied with many of the American government publications on medical matters, a fact which suggests the application which I have now the honor to make to you. These publications are never sold. they are only given away when properly solicited application.

I am Sir your obedient servant

(Sgd) R. Alex Jamieson.

Consulting Surgeon to the Imp. Maritime Customs in China

Shanghai China.

Inclosure No. 1.

With dispatch No 97.

State Department.

Am. Consulate's letter

dated July 13. 1878

Mr Clements.

no. 98.

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United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. July 18. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Subject of dispatch.
American Schooner "William Phillips"

No. 98.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. July 15. 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:

Quoting to my dispatch No. 84.
I have now the honor to inform you
that, I am informed by the Consul
at Hong Kong, that the American
schooner "William Phillips" cleared
from that port for. Iloilo. Philippine.
Islands. on the 28th. May last.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
J. Stahel
U.S. Consul General

Mr Clement

no. 99.

Ack Sept. 26. 78

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. July. 16. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Sec. of State.
Washington D.C.

Subject of dispatch.
Forwarding reports of Brit. & General cases for. 2d. Quarter 1878.

Inclosures.
No. 1. Report Police cases.
" 2. " Brit " .

No. 99.

United States Consulate General
Shanghae. July. 16. 1878.

Honorable W. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to inclose herewith reports of the proceedings in the Court of this Consulate General for the Quarter ending June 30. 1878.

1 Inclosure No. 1. Report of Police cases.
2 Inclosure No 2. Report of Civil cases. file -

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Hahl
Vice Consul General

Police

RETURN OF ~~CRIMINAL~~ CASES HEARD IN THE COURT OF THE

From the First *of* April. *to the* 1

	DATE OF FIRST PROCEEDINGS.	NAME OF PRISONER.	CHARGE.	BY WHOM BROUGHT.
	Apl. 4.	Alex. Nuntzie.	Drunk.	municipal Police
	" 16.	Chas. Bentan.	"	"
	" "	G. Murill.	"	"
	" 17.	G.W. Blackwood.	"	"
	" "	G.R. Olsen.	" & asslt.	"
	" 22	A. Stark.	Drunk.	"
	" "	S. Olsen.	" & asslt.	"
	May 1.	Chas. Brown.	Drunk.	"
	" 3.	Chas. Affelhoff.	"	"
	" "	A. Bentan.	"	"
	" 4	J. Lolan.	"	"
	" "	R. Fuller.	"	"
	" "	A. Stark.	"	"
	" "	J. Riley.	"	—
	" 16	W. Allen.	"	"
	" 20	J. Williams.	"	"
	" "	Chas. Wheatly.	"	"
	" 23	P. Carroll.	"	"
	" "	J. Bellans.	"	"
	" "	J. McGratte.	"	"
	June 4.	W. Shields.	"	"
	" 14.	J. O'Neil.	"	"
	" "	J. Sullivan.	"	"
	" "	J. Grimes.	"	"
	" 17	G. Brown.		French Police.
	" "	A Evans.	"	"
	" 21	G. Bentan.	"	municipal Police
	" "	J.D. Ross.	"	"
	" 20	G. Johnson.	"	"
	" 24	J. Brannan.	"	"
	" 27	J. Brett.	"	"
	" "	J. Hansen.	"	"

G.T.O.C. Shanghai June 30. 187

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NAL CASES HEARD IN THE COURT OF THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE GENERAL, AT SHANGHAI, CHINA.

of April. to the Thirtieth day of June. 1878. inclusive.

CHARGE.	BY WHOM BROUGHT.	JUDGMENT.	AMOUNT OF FINES IMPOSED.	AMOUNT OF FEES CHARGED AND RECEIVED.	DISPOSITION OF FINES AND FEES. U.S.	marsh	Jail	Total.	
Drunk.	Municipal Police	Guilty.	7-	2 50	2-	2-	50	4 50	
"	"	-							"Manangahula"
"	"	-							"
"	"	Guilty.	6-	2 50	5-	2-	50	7 50	
" asslt.	"	-							"Manangahula"
Drunk.	"	Guilty.	2-	2 50	2-	2-	50	4 50	
" asslt.	"	-							"Manocacy"
Drunk.	"	-							"Manangahula"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	"							"
"	"	"							"
"	"	Guilty.	2-	4-	2	2	2-	6-	
"	-	-							"Manangahula"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	"							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	"	-							"
"	Municipal Police	-	2	4 50	2-	4-	50	6 50	"
"	"	"	2	4 50	2-	4-	50	6 50	
"	Municipal Police	"							"Manangahula"
"	"	"	1-	4 50	1-	4-	50	5 50.	"
"	"	"							
"	"	"							
"	"	"	2-	5-	2-	4-	1-		
"	"	"	2-	5-	2-	4-	1-		
			20-	35-	20-	28-	7-	55-	

U.S.C.G. Shanghai June 30. 1878. J. Stahel.
U.S. Consul General.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. China.

Enclosure No. 1.

With dispatch No. 99.

State Department.

Report of Police cases
Executed ending June 30/78

JUDGMENT.	AMOUNT OF FINES IMPOSED.	AMOUNT OF FEES CHARGED AND RECEIVED.	DISPOSITION OF FINES AND FEES.

[Form No. 137.]

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Return of Civil ***Suits from the*** First ***day of*** April. ***to the*** 3

NO OF CASE.	DATE OF FIRST PROCEEDINGS.	NAME AND NATIONALITY OF PLAINTIFF.	NAME OF DEFENDANT.	NATURE OF SUIT	JUDGMENT	AMOU IM
693.	April 15.	W. B. Blanchard (died)		Probate.	Pending	
694.	May 8.	Mackenzie & Co. (Eng)	C. M. Smith	Contract.	For Pltffs.	
695.	" 16	Edward B. Quinton (died)		Probate.	In Ex. hands.	
696	June 3.	Chinese	C. McDonald	Contract	For Pltffs.	

E. & O. E.
Shanghai, June
J. Ha
U. S. Vice Co
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RAL AT SHANGHAI CHINA.

irtieth day of June 1878, inclusive.

T OF FINE OSED.	AMOUNT OF FEES CHARGED AND RECEIVED.	DISPOSITION OF FINES AND FEES. Marshal	Clerk.	U. States	Associates	APPEAL.
	63 60	27 20	15 40	15 -	6 -	
	10 10	1 80	8 30			
	$ 43 40	29 00	23 70	15 00	6 00	

30th. 1878.

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Report of Civil cases

United States Consulate General
Shanghai, China.
Enclosure No. 2.
With dispatch No. 99.
State Department.

Report of Division of Far Eastern Affairs

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Sept. 1878.

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No 100.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai August 5th 1878.

Mr. J. Stahel to the
Department of State

Subject
Application of Mr B. R. Lewis

Abstract of Contents.

Transmitting and recommending the application of Mr B. R. Lewis for a Consular Clerkship or for Marshal to this Consular Court.

No. 100.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai, August 5th. 1878.

Honorable
W. Hunter
Second Asst. Secr. of State
Washington. D. C.

Sir.

I have the honor to forward herewith enclosed the application of Mr. B. R. Lewis for a Consular Clerkship, or for Marshal to this Consular Court. - In transmitting the same I beg to say that Mr Lewis is at present acting Marshal at this place, and that he is thoroughly conversant with all the duties of a Consular Officer.

I endorse the applicant as a man of ability, fitness, integrity and general good character, and as such I can recommend his application to the consideration of the Department.

I have the honor, to be,
Sir,

Your Obedient Servant
J. Stahel
Vice Consul General

Inclosure
1. Application of Mr B. R. Lewis

Shanghai. August 5th. 1893.

Honorable W. Evarts.
Secretary of State
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I respectfully beg leave to offer myself as a candidate for the position of Consular Clerk.

I have been in the consular service since 1863. and held a commission as consular clerk. in October 1866. until February 1. 1891. at which time I resigned. I have served the greater part of the time in the Shanghai consulate General. I was appointed — consular agent to Kiung chow Island of Hainan in 1872. and upon the death of Capt. Gunn Esq. I was in charge of the Consulate for Osaca & Hiogo. Japan. Permit me to refer you to my letters of recommendation on file in the Department of State since 1873.

My birth place is Philadelphia. My age is forty years.

Should there be no vacancy in the consular clerks. corps. I respectfully request that this

this may be considered an application for the Marshalship at Shanghai.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
Bruce Randle Lewis.

No. 101.

Copy of sub. corr. and enclosures to Desp. No. 76 of Sept. 6. 1878

Orig. to Desp. No. 76 of Sept. 6. 1878

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. August. 6. 1878.

Hon. J. Stahel. to the Department of State

Subject. Returns of Trade and Medical Reports for the years. 1877. and 1878.

Abstract of contents.

Forwarding. Returns of Trade for the Treaty Ports in China year 1877. and Medical Reports for the year ending March. 31. 1878. Published by the Imperial Maritime Customs.

No. 101.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August 6. 1878.

Honorable. W. Hunter.
Second. Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington. D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith Returns of Trade at the Treaty Ports in China. for the year 1877. published by the Imperial-Maritime Customs: also. Medical Reports for the year ending March 31st. 1878. published by the same authority.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Stahel.
Vice Consul General

For Mr. O'Connor's consideration
C.P.

Mr Wood
Mr O'Connor

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No. 102

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August. 21st. 1878.

Wm. Stahl. U.S. Vice Consul General.
To the Department of State.
Washington D.C.

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Subject.

Case 653. U.S. Consular Court. Malcolm versus Watkins.

Abstract of Contents.

Wm. Malcolm's claim of $100. against the Consulate General. with reference to which all correspondence and accounts are forwarded.

Ask to approve. This dispatch Mr. Stahl is evidently right in his statement of the facts. Mr. Malcolm must be in error as his own receipts show. If he sends any complaint against Mr. Stahl, this dis will furnish facts for answer.
oct 17th 1878 OConnor

No. 102 United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August 21. 1848.

Honorable Charles Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington. D. C.

Sir:

Anticipating that Wm. Alexander Malcolm formerly of Shanghai and at present a resident of Hong Kong. may make a complaint against this Consulate. I have the honor to transmit inclosed "Inclosure No. 1". the correspondence between Wm. Malcolm and this office "Inclosure No. 2" is the account in case No. 653. Malcolm vs. Jenkins. between Wm. Malcolm and this Consulate. "Inclosure No. 3" is copy of Wm. Wainwright's letter. Wm. Malcolm's attorney covering cheque for balance due on the Pantoan.

The Department will perceive from these inclosures. that, Wm. Malcolm has no claim against this office, his account being fully balanced and pronounced correct by his attorney.

The mistake Wm. Malcolm makes is that he claims to have paid into the Court. Jenkins

from the sale of the Pantoon Gls.600. equal to $491.85. The Dépatment will see from Mr. Wainwright's letter (Enclosure No.3) that he paid into Court for account of the purchase of the pantoon by Mr. Malcolm $691.85. and not Gls.600. thus the claim for $100. is explained. The amounts refered to in Mr. Malcolm's letter of August 3rd. $278# and $5.36 have no bearing on the above case. but refer to seperate cases. the $5.$\frac{36}{100}$ being balance of deposits after paying costs. the $278.#. being satisfaction of an execution.

Trusting that the Dépatment will find this explanation and statement satisfactory

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient Servant
J. Stahel
Vice Consul General

Enclosures.

No. 1. correspondence letters Mr. Malcolm & Consulate.
" .2. Account. Malcolm vs. Jenkins. No 653.
" .3. Mr. Wainwright's letter.

Hong Kong H.B.M. Naval Yard June 28. 1878.

To the H.B. Consul General.

Shanghai

China.

Sir.

About the end of October last I entered an action against Wm. M. A. Jenkins of Hankow. in the H.B. Consulate General. to recover the sum of. Shanghai Tls. 403 ## Judgment. was given in favor of me with costs. But previous to the hearing of the case. (viz) I deposited the sum. of $100 #. and as the sum and fee has long been paid and the above case may be considered settled. I beg that you will kindly remit (viz) me the above sum. i.e. $100 ## at your earliest convenience. the sum was deposited in the hands of Wm. O. B. Bradford. who was in office at that time.

I am Sir. your obedient servant.

(Sgd) P.b. A. Malcolm.

H.B.M. Naval Yard.

Hong Kong.

No. 11450.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. June 8th 1848.

A. Malcolm Esq.
H.B.M's Naval Yard.
Hong Kong.

Sir.

I am in receipt of your letter of the 3d inst. in which you apply for the return of ($100.) one hundred dollars. the sum deposited by you in case No. 653. Malcolm vs. Jenkins.

Upon reference to the books I find ~~that~~ you are paid the sum of ($100.) one hundred dollars as return deposite in this case on the 6. December last and the further sum of ($575.50) five hundred & seventy five 50/100 dollars. as amount of judgment in same case. for both of which I find your receipts of file in this office.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c.
(Sgd.) J. Stetson.
U.S.A. Consul General

June 12/6/48. H.B.M. Naval Yard Hong Kong.

The Hon J. Stuart Esq.

U.S. Vice Consul General.

Shanghai. China.

Sir:

Your letter bearing date June 8. came duly to hand at this place on the 12th inst and I note its contents. But beg most respectfully to inform you that the sum of $100.00/100 was not returned to me. that sum being the amount of my deposite in case No. 653. "Malcolm vs. Jenkins" the amount sued for in the above case was $403. the court allowed $20. for attorneys fees together with interest at 9% per annum up to the time of judgment being given after judgment 6% per annum up till time of payment but judgment was for $575.50 for payment of same I took execution upon an attachment I "held" upon a pantoon vs noun as the "Pau Soong Wharf" which was put up at public auction and purchased by me for the sum of Tls. 1005. for payment of said pantoon I paid into the U.S. Consulate Tls. 600.00/100 together with $575.50 the amount of judgment as the other part of the payment so that the only sum that there could be taken out of $575.50 to make up Tls. 1005- would be Tls. 405. so that there is in the U.S. Consulate to my credit the sum of

of $120. less $2.- which sum has not been paid to me.

The day that judgment was given in the aforesaid case I applied to Mr. O.B. Bradford for my deposite to be returned but was informed by that gentleman that when the case was fully settled the amount would be returned to me, but such is not the case. and I am afraid there is some mistake by which I am likely to suffer and I beg to say that I never gave a receipt for $120. less $2- and there must be a mistake somewhere, and I trust Sir. that you will see into this and send me the amount at your earliest convenience and oblige your most obedient and humble servant.

(Sgd) P.C. A. Malcolm.
H.B.M. Naval Yard.
Hong Kong.

No 11478.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. June. 19th. 1878.

Alex. Malcolm Esq.
H.B.M. Dis Naval Yard.
Hong Kong

Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 13th inst. I beg to inform you ~~that~~ the account — Malcolm. vs. Jenkins No. 653. stands closed on our books as you will see by the copy inclosed, ~~the~~ balance being carried to the credit of Groom vs. Jenkins No. 655. You will also observe ~~that~~ the amount of the judgment $ 575.50 and return deposite $100 - have both been paid. your receipts for these items being on file in this Consulate.

I have the honor &c.
(sgd) J. Stahel.
U.S. Consul General

H.B.M. Naval Yard.

Hong Kong August 3. 1878.

J. Stobel Esq.

U.S. Consul General.

Shanghai

Sir:

In reply to yours of the 19th. June last. I beg to inform you again that the deposits made by me of one hundred dollars $100.- has not been returned to me the only two sums of money paid to me was in March or April last i.e. $278. and $5.36 the said sums was both paid by a Canadian Contractors order and I believe that if the deposits is paid it would be paid in the same way. and by referring to the Contractors books it will be easily seen whether the above sum is paid and to whom. as it was never paid to me. I am very sorry to trouble you but I wish to get my affairs known when it has gone to. I will not trouble you any more with my letters after this and beg that you will send me the above named sum as soon as possible. otherwise I will be compelled to lay the whole matter before the Authorities at Washington.

I am &c

P.C. 30. A. Malcolm.
H.B.M. Naval Yard

No. 11590 United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Aug. 8th. 1878.

Alexander Malcolm Esq.
Hong Kong.

Sir:

In acknowledging the receipt of your communication of the 1st. inst. I have to say that although I have no personal knowledge of the facts in the case, as the matter transpired during the administration of my predecessor. I upon careful examination of the records of this office find that your account is fully balanced and that there is nothing due to you. I have this day sent the papers & receipts - to Wm. Wainwright, who acted in the case for you. & who will write you by this mail in explanation of all the facts.

The item occurred in your stating in your letter of June 13. that you had paid into the Court. from the sale of the pantoon ($1.600.) Six hundred. Taels. which would make ($791.85) Seven hundred and ninety one 85/100 dollars. while you only paid ($691.85) Six hundred and ninety one 85/100 — dollars. as per inclosed copy of Wm. Wainwright's letter which explains the difference.

I have &c
(sgd.) O. Stahel.
U.S.C.G.

Enclosure. China.

Enclosure No. 1.

with

Dispatch No. 102

State Department.

Correspondence in
matter - Molcalm.
Durino

Copy.

Shanghai November 1899.

Received of Hon. S. Wiley Wells. United States Consul General at Shanghai China the sum of Five Hundred & Seventy five 50/100 Dollars being amount of judgment in case No 653. on the Docket of this Court.

(Sgd) Alexander Malcolm.

Copy.

Shanghai. November 1899.

Received of Hon. S. Wiley Wells. United States Consul General at Shanghai China the sum of One hundred Dollars. being amount of Deposit in case No. 653. on the Docket of this Court.

(Sgd) Alexander Malcolm.

1877 Dr. Malcolm.

Oct.	9.	To	Cash	associate fee.	600		Left Dec
"	"	"	"	witness "	450		
Nov.	-	"	"	marshals "	10816		
"	"	"	"	Hearing "	1500		
"	"	"	"	clerks "	2810		
"	"	"	"	Interpreters "	800		
"	"	"	"	Attorneys "	2000		
"	"	"	"	Stenographers "	900		
Dec.	3.	"	"	Judgment.	57550		
"	"	"	"	Returned deposits.	10000		
"	"	"	"	Balance transferred to cash #655	59509	14464	35
						$ 14464	35

Jenkins. No 653. Dr.

By Cash deposits for costs.		10000	
" " sale of "Pao Loong Wharf" Pantoon		1364 35	
			1464 35
			$1464 35

Explanation of sale of "Pao Loong Wharf" Pantoon.

The Pantoon was purchased by the Plaintiff for Taels Shanghai Sycee. 1005 equal.	$ 1364 35	
Judgment being for Plaintiff he retained his deposits as per receipt.		10000
Also the amount of Judgment as per receipt		54550
Balance paid into Court as per letter of R. D. Wainwright Malcolmis attorney		69185
	$ 1367 35	1364 35

Of the $691.85 there was transferred to case No. 655. $595.09

Balance to costs of Court 96.76

$ 691.85

E. & O. E.

Shanghai Aug 21. 1848.

J. Stahl.

U. S. Consul General.

Declaration No. 2.

with

Dispatch No. 102.

State Department.

Account. Declaration as
Instruction No. 653.

Copy.

3. Balfour Buildings.
29th. November 1844.

Dear Sir,

Malcolm vs. Jenkins.

I am. beg to inclose the Agra Bank's Chandu Tan Six hundred & ninety one Dollars. & eighty five cents ($691.85) in payment of the balance of the purchase money for the "Pao. Soong Wharf" Pantoon which I trust you will find correct.

I am Dear Sir.
Yours very faithfully.
(Sgd.) R. E. Wainwright.

Hon. G. Wiley Wells.
U.S. Consul General.
Shanghai.

Shanghai, China.

Enclosure No. 3.

with

Dispatch No. 102.

State Department.

R. L. Wainwright's letter

Wm Wood

ack
Oct. 15. 78

No. 103.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August. 22d. 1878.

Wm. Stahel M.D. Vice Consul General.
to the Department of State.
Subject. death of W. N. Folsom.
Abstract of contents.

Death William Nathaniel Folsom at Chefoo.
died intestate. resident of Shanghai

Letter of this mother
Oct 15 78

No. 103.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai, August 22d. 1878.

Honorable Chas. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

It is with regret that I have to report the death of William Nathaniel Folsom, a native of Portsmouth New Hampshire but for sometime a resident of Shanghai, at which port he was in the employ of U.S. Customs.

Mr. Folsom died on the 8th inst. at Chefoo whither he had gone for his health. He died intestate, as soon as I am able to settle the estate I will make the necessary returns.

I understand he has a mother living at his native place.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your obedient servant.
J. Hall.
Vice Consul General

Mr Wood

ack. Feb. 15. 78

No. 104.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August. 22d 1878.

Wm. J. Stahel - U.S. Vice Consul General
to the Department of State Washington D.C.
subject. Return of Trade for 1844.
Abstract of Contents. Contains report
of Return of Trade for the year ending
Dec. 31. 1877. with the Treaties & acts in
China.

No. 104.

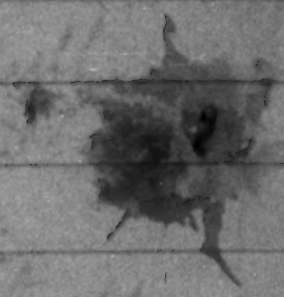
United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August. 22d. 1878.

Honorable. Chas. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington. D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit in the Government pouch by this mail to the Department, the Customs returns of trade with the Treaty ports in China for the year ending December 31st. 1877. statistics.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Stahl
Vice Consul General



Mr Wood

ans. post: 15.78

No. 105.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August 22. 1878.

Hon. J. Stahl. U.S. Vice Consul General.
to the Department of State Washington D.C.
Subject. Acknowledgment of dispatches 18 & 19.
Abstract. Will comply with instructions
contained in No. 18. & will report by next mail.

No. 105.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August 27. 1848.

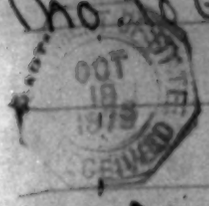
Honorable Chas. Pagan.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatches. Nos. 18 and 19. which reached me on the 20th inst. The instructions contained in No. 18 will receive my immediate attention and I will report a settlement of the matter by the next mail.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Hahn.
Vice Consul General

No. 106.



Oct 22-78 Stk C.P.

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United States Consulate General
Shanghai. August 29th. 1878.

Wm. Stahl. U.S. Vice Consul General
to Department of State Washington D.C.
Subject Claim of A. Malcolm.
Abstract of contents. Inclosing Wm.
Malcolms letter acknowledging his
entire satisfaction.

No. 106.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. August 29. 1878.

Honorable Charles. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

With reference to my dispatch No. 102. I have the honor to inform the Department that I have succeeded in convincing Mr. Malcolm that he has no claim on this office as will be seen by inclosed copy of his letter. marked "inclosure No. 1".

I regret to have troubled the Department with this matter but. I was anxious that you should be in possession of all the facts in case complaint was made — particularly so, as it unjustly reflected on my predecessor.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
J. Stahel.
Vice Consul General

H.B.M. Naval Yard.

Hong Kong 22d. Aug. 1878.

J. Stahel Esq.

H.B.M. Consular Service.

Sir:

Yours letter bearing date the 8th. inst. came duly to hand at this post on the 21st. inst. and I also find a letter or copy of a letter therein date 29th of November 1877. written by H.E. Wainwright to the Hon. G. Wiley Wells. Esqr. and I beg to say that the said does fully and satisfactorily explain the whole. Business and after a careful examination of the Consular accts I find them quite correct. I also find by your accts that the sum of Tls. 600. was not paid into your Consulate but $ 691.85 only which fact speaks for itself. and it is very clear to me when and where and by whom the mistake is made and I am very thankful to you for your kindness in sending me the copy before refund to as it enables me to apply to the proper quarter for a refund of $100—

and in conclusion I beg to say that as far as the H.B. Consulate is concerned. I find all accts. in proper order and correct.

I have the honor to be Sir.

Your most humble & obt. servant.

J. Stahel Esq. (Sgd). A. Malcolm.

Shanghai China.

Inclosure No. 1.
With
Dispatch No. 106
Department of State.

Wm. Malcolm's.
letter. Aug. 22/78.

Report subject of controversy

Wood

No. 104.

United States Consulate General.

Shanghai. September 2d. 1848.

Wm. J. Stahl. U.S. Vice Consul General.

to the Department of State Washington D.C.

Subject. Forwarding Mr. Lincoln's dispatch

No. 53. nominating G.G. Williams as.

Consular agent at Swatow.

Abstract of Contents observing the nomination and calling the attention of the Department to the fact that Mr. Williams is the same who has a controversy with the Chinese authorities at that port.

No. 104.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 2d. 1878.

Honorable Charles. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith to the Department. dispatch No. 53 from C. P. Lincoln Esq. U.S. Consul at Canton nominating Wm. C. C. Williams an American citizen residing at Swatow as Consular agent at that port.

Whilst I fully approve of the nomination. considering Wm. Williams well fitted for the office. I am compelled to call the attention of the Department to the fact. that. Wm. Williams is the same person. who is in contumacy with the Chinese authorities and about whom the Department has recently sent instructions to the Legation.

Since Wm. Lincoln is anxious that a change should be made with as little delay as possible. I have in accordance with Sect. 49. Consular Regulations. 1874. transmitted

a.

a copy of all the correspondence on the subject to the Legation. with the request to appoint Mr. Williams acting agent. Should it be considered advisable under the existing circumstances.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Hahn.
Vice Consul General

Cable

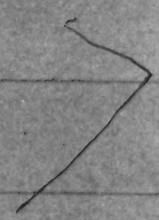
Shanghai Mr. Evarts

Evarts a. by instruction from Stahl. Cable. 6th Sept. 78.
Secretary State. and by mail
Washington. 9th Sept. 78.

Here in pursuance of instructions Bailey.
Stahl has no advices

Bailey.
Shanghai

Received at
Dept of State Sept 6. 78



Package with
papers

Sept. 27. 78

Mr Wood

No. 108.

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United States Consular Journal.
Shanghai. Sept. 4th. 1878.
Wm. J. Stahl U.S.N. Consul General.
to Department of State Washington D.C.
Subject. Estate of W. C. Blanchard (dec'd)
Abstract of contents. Sending Studs
& ring. for Mrs. Mary C. Blanchard.

Packet sent by
express Oct. 19th
Mrs Blanchard
received.

Pk. Package not received in the Index Bureau.
W. A. Tuckett

No. 108.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 4th. 1848.

Honorable Chas. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith a small package addressed to Mrs. Mary C. Blanchard Lowell Mass. U.S.A. which I respectfully request the Department to forward. It contains. one pair cuff buttons one set of studs one collar button. and one gold ring. belonging to the estate of the late W. C. Blanchard.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Stahel.
Vice Consul General.

Mr Wood

Oct. 30. 78

No. 109.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 9th. 1878.

Hon. J. Stahl. U.S.C. Consul General.
to Department of State Washington D.C.
Subject. Hon. Bailey's appointment.
Abstract of contents. Acknowledging
receipt of telegram, instructing me
to turn over the office to David H.
Bailey N. Consul General

No. 109.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. Sept. 9th. 1878.

Honorable Charles Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform the Department. that I have received a telegram from the Honorable the Secretary of State. dated Washington Sept. 6th. instructing me to turn over this office to Wm. D. H. Bailey and in compliance I beg to state that I will make the transfer with the least possible delay.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Stahel.
Vice Consul General

No. 110.

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~~United States~~ Consulate General
Shanghai, Sept. 10th 1878

Com. J. States. U.S.C. Consul General.
to the Department of State. Washington D.C.
Subject. S.S. Dr. Bois. Hospital dues.

No. 110.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai Sept. 10th. 1868.

Honorable Charles Bryan.
Third asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D. C.

Sir:

Referring to my despatch No. 105. I have the honor to inform you that I have consulted with the President of the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company. who will have the necessary documents drawn up. by this solicitor, and pay the amount due to my successor, Mr. Bailey.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your ob[illegible] Servant.
J. Stahel.
U.S. Consul. General

No. 111.

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United States Consulate General
Shanghai. Sept. 13th. 1848.

Hon. Stahel U.S. Vice Consul General
to the State Department Washington D.C.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Subject. Transfer of office.
Abstract of Contents. Forwarding receipt
of David H. Bailey. Esq. for balances trans-
ferred. & forwarding accts. of Estates.

no. 111.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 12th. 1878.

Honorable Charles Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State
Washington D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to transmit herewith inclosed to the Department the duplicate receipt of moneys which I have this day transfered to David H. Bailey Esquire. Vice Consul General marked "inclosure no. 1". At the same time I beg to forward accounts, with proper vouchers of those estates mentioned in inclosure no. 1. in which disbursements have been made by me.

The original receipt of Mr. Bailey I have transmitted to the Honorable Secretary of the Treasury, retaining the duplicate myself.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant
J. Hall
Vice Consul General

Statement of moneys transferred by Julius Stahl to David A. Bailey Esquire United States Vice Consul. Lunar.

Duplicate

Kings Cas.	Estate.	1537	05	
W. A. Andrieta.	"	170	42	
J. A. B. Justinis	"	11	34	
W. L. Blanchards	"	50	14	
W. M. Galsanis	"	699	75	
Wars. Dat	"	16	31	
D. M. Ralphehart	"	32	14	
Chinese ns. McDonald No. 696.		3695		2560 13
				2560 13
Whales. Sark. "Ocean Pearl"				
Balance wages due.		73	83	
Two mos. x " "		50	00	
one " " " seamans fund.		25	00	148 83
				$2708 96

No. 2.

Honolulu. Sept. 13. 1878.

Received from Julius Stahl the sum of Two thousand seven hundred and eight 96/100 Dollars. $2708.96. in full as per accounts above stated

Julius Stahl

U. S. Vice Consul General

Statement of Income Tax Paid by Quinine Distributors to the United States Government.

Year ending June 30, 1918.

Mississippi Valley Quinine Co.	Detroit	1287 02
W. H. Schneider	"	170 42
S. A. D. Smithson	"	18 94
W. B. Richardson	"	2018
W. M. Johnson	"	647 12
Geo. Root	"	18 81
J. M. Hollyhead	"	3218
Quinine & Chemical Mfg. Co.	Detroit	3800 13
		3800 13

Schedule of "Income Paid"

Quinine wrote off.		1383
Mississippi "	"	2000
Income "	"	3800 1883

$3708.96

Detroit, Mich. Jan. 13, 1918.

Received from Quinine Distributors the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight Dollars.

$3708.96. In full to date for income taxes.

Jules Stahel.
United States Vice Consul General.
In account with.
Estate of J. H. B. Jenkins (dec'd)

1878.		Dr.				Cr.		
Sept.	21.	To Cash. Sale of effects.		$ 52	28			
		Cr.						
"	"	By Cash Advertising.					3	00
"	"	" " "					4	16
Oct.	15	" " Invoices. . .					10	40.
Nov.	29	" " Sundries. . .					16	10
"	"	" " Postage. .						25
Dec.	18	" " David H. Bailey.					18	37.
				$ 52	28		52	28

E. & O. E.
Shanghai Sept. 13th 1878.

J. Stahel
Vice Consul Genl

Dr.

U. S. CONSULATE GENERAL, SHANGHAI, CHINA.

May 29. 1877

In Re Est. of

E. H. B. Jenkins (dec'd) In probate.

To the United States Consulate General, Dr.

	$	c.
Orders in Court & record.	6	00
Copying & filing documents.	3	10
Postage & seal to records.	7	00
	$16	10

Received Payment,

E. Rhuis act. Clk. C.

Consul General.

UNITED STATES POSTAL AGENCY, SHANGHAI, CHINA.

March 31st 1878

Messrs. F. & W. Jenkins Estate

To U. S. Postal Agency, Dr.

For Postage ~~Inward~~ and Outward, to date ..... $ 1.25

Received Payment,

J. Stahel

POSTAL AGENT.

U. S. CONSULATE GENERAL, SHANGHAI, CHINA.

March. 15th 187

93 Re. Estate of
J. A. D. Jenkins (died) In probate

To the United States Consulate General,

	$	c.
appraising furs - 2 persons - $5. ea	10	—
filing documents.		40
	$10	40

Received Payment,

P. K. Lewis Act Sh. Ct. *Consul General.*

t for

ccount No. 1986 Shanghai, Janz 2 1878

H. B. M. Consul Gen.l

Dr. to "North-China Herald."

This receipt can only be left on payment of the amount.
nes and foreign coin of a like value will not be received unless at Market Value.

	Taels	c.	$	c.
By a Cheque or Compradore Order.				
As per Account rendered:				
rtisement No. 1810 in "N.-C. DAILY NEWS,"				
Notice Re Jenkins Este.				
Dec: 27 Janz 1st/78				
20 lines	3			

Received, for the Lessee, Gyr #416

MEMO.

ED STATES CONSULATE-GENERAL,
ANGHAI, 26th December, 1877.

**FREDRICK HENRY BARRY
JENKINS (deceased.)**

ersons indebted to the Estate of
EDRICK HENRY BANY JENKINS,
ceased, are hereby requested to
mediate payment to the under-
and those having claims against
esent and prove the same in
on or before the 30th day of
1878.

G. WILEY WELLS,
U. S. Consul-General.

HERALD" Office,
H-CHINA DAILY

2693

U.S. Consulate General

Duplicate

Shanghai, December 1877.

Dr. to Office of the "Celestial Empire."

	$	cts.
Advertising in the "SHANGHAI COURIER & CHINA GAZETTE"		
FROM Dec 26th to 31st 187 ADVERTISEMENT No. 1585a		
Estate of Fredrick Henry Barry Jenkins, deceased	3	00

E. & O. E.

Received Payment,

Thomas Preston,

Manager.

MEMO.

UNITED STATES CONSULATE-GENERAL,

Shanghai, 26th December, 1877.

Estate of Fredrick Henry Barry Jenkins, (deceased.)

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of FREDRICK HENRY BARRY JENKINS, lately deceased, are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the Undersigned; and those having Claims against it, to present and prove the same in duplicate on or before the 30th day of January, 1878.

G. WILEY WELLS,
U. S. Consul-General.

Shanghai, 26th Dec, 1877. 1585a 31de

MEMO.

UNITED STATES CONSULATE-GENERAL,

Shanghai, 26th December, 1877.

Estate of Fredrick Henry Barry Jenkins, (deceased.)

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G. WILEY WELLS,
U. S. Consul-General.

Shanghai, 26th Dec, 1877. 1585a 31de

Julius Stahl
United States Diplomatic Journal.
In account with.
Estate of W. L. Blanchard (dec'd)

1878.		Dr.					
	6	To. cash. Sale of effects.		$ 445	50		
	14	" " " " "		100	68		
	31	" " " " Theatre shares.		27	21		
	4	" " of D. D. Knowles.		2000			
	12	" " " "		1500			
	23	" " " "		1015			
	4	" " Sale masonic regalia		3500			
		Cr.					
	30	By cash. books hire.					98
	"	" " advertising.				4	11
	"	" " "				3	00
	8	" " Hall & Hatty. (rent)				400	00
	29	" " services.				18	20
	"	" " "					20
	3	" " H. Miller & Co. Jdgt.				124	00
	"	" " Boys wages.				22	66
	5	" " United States fees.				32	50
	13	" " David H. Bailey.				50	14.
				$ 653	54	653	54

E. & O. E.
Shanghai Sept. 13th. 1878.
J. Stahl
U.S. Consul General

Journal Statement
Private Statement Pleasure Steamer.
Gen Account with
Estate of M. C. Thompson (dec'd)

1918			Dr.		
Jan	1	To Cash. Bal. of Estate.		$HH 2	20
"	14	" " " " "		100	98
"	31	" " " Electric Chairs.		37	31
"	14	" " " of J. J. Kennedy.		20	00
"	13	" " " "		12	00
"	23	" " " "		10	12
"	14	" " Bale Masonic regalia		96	00
		Dr.			
Feb.	20	To Cash. Double Bier.			
"	"	" " ornaments.			H 11
"	"	" " "			9 00
Mar	8	" " Hall & Platt. (rent)			H 00 00
"	30	" " Lumber.			18 20
"	"	" " "			20
Apl.	3	" " A. Miller acc. Ledger.			134 00
"	"	" " Cash receipts.			33 PP
"	2	" " Electric Fan.			32 20
"	13	" " Money Orders.			80 17.
				$ PP 3 9H	P 29 2H

Thompson Bank. 1918.

U. S. CONSULATE GENERAL, SHANGHAI, CHINA.

Sept. 5th 187

In Re Est. of

W. H. Blanchard (died) in Probate.

To the United States Consulate General, Dr.

	$	c.
United States fee .. 5% on $653.54	32	50

Received Payment,

A. Lewis. act. clk. et. *Consul General*

Hong Kew. Shanghai.
China
April 27th 1878.

To the Estate of the late W. C. Blanchard
Loa - Cha Servant
Claim for wages, and Coal
Firewood & Water coolie hire.

te		$.	C.
h 1st 1878.	Wages $ 10. cs per month	11	. 00
il "	26 days	8	. 66.
	Water Coolie hire. Months		
Feby. March. April.	$1. cs per month	2	. 50
	Coal & Firewood	1	. 50
	Total Mex. $	22	. 66.

I know this to be a
Correct Bill
C. S. Rinner

H. MÜLLER & CO.'S
記美
14. NANKING ROAD,
SHANGHAI.

Received of the U. St: Consular Court
the sum of Mex: Dollars One Hundred Twenty Seven
in full for judgement & costs: case H. Müller & Co
vs: Capt: W. C. Blanchard. — Made out in
Duplicate. —

Shanghai, 5th September 1878.

H. Müller & Co

Duplicate

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U. S. CONSULATE GENERAL, SHANGHAI, CHINA.

May 29th, 1878.

In Re Estate of

W. H. Blanchard (dec'd) In Probate.

To the United States Consulate General, Dr.

	$	c.
Appraisers fees. two persons ea $5	10	-
Seals & filing papers.	2	20
Postage.		20
	$ 12	40

Received Payment,

P. K. Lewis. acty Clk et *Consul General.*

Shanghai, April 15th 1878

To late Captain W. C. Blanchard

Minlong Rd

Dr. to HALL & HOLTZ.

DUPLICATE

	$	Cts.
To Rent of Rooms at No 2 Minlong Road from 1st January 1877 - to April 30/78 — 16 months @ $25.00 a month	$ 400	

RECEIVED PAYMENT
FOR 7 MAY 78
福利
HALL & HOLTZ
W. Clifford

Bt. to HALL & HOLTZ.

3663

Shanghai April 1878.

U.S. Consulate General

U.S. CONSULATE GENERAL SHANGHAI APR 30 1878

Dr. to Office of the "Celestial Empire."

	$	cts.
Advertising in the "SHANGHAI COURIER & CHINA GAZETTE"—		
FROM April 22d to 24th 1878, ADVERTISEMENT No. 570-G		
Estate of Wm Cadwallader Blanchard, as per a/c rendered	3	00

COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
CONSULATE GENERAL,
SHANGHAI, 22nd April, 1878.

...ate of WILLIAM CADWALLADER BLANCHARD, Deceased.

...LL Persons indebted to the Estate of ... WILLIAM CADWALLADER BLANCHARD, ...eased, are hereby requested to make ...ediate payment to the undersigned; ... those having claims against it to ...ent the same in duplicate, on or before ... 15th day of May, 1878.

J. STAHEL,
Vice-Consul-General
and Ex. Officio Administrator.

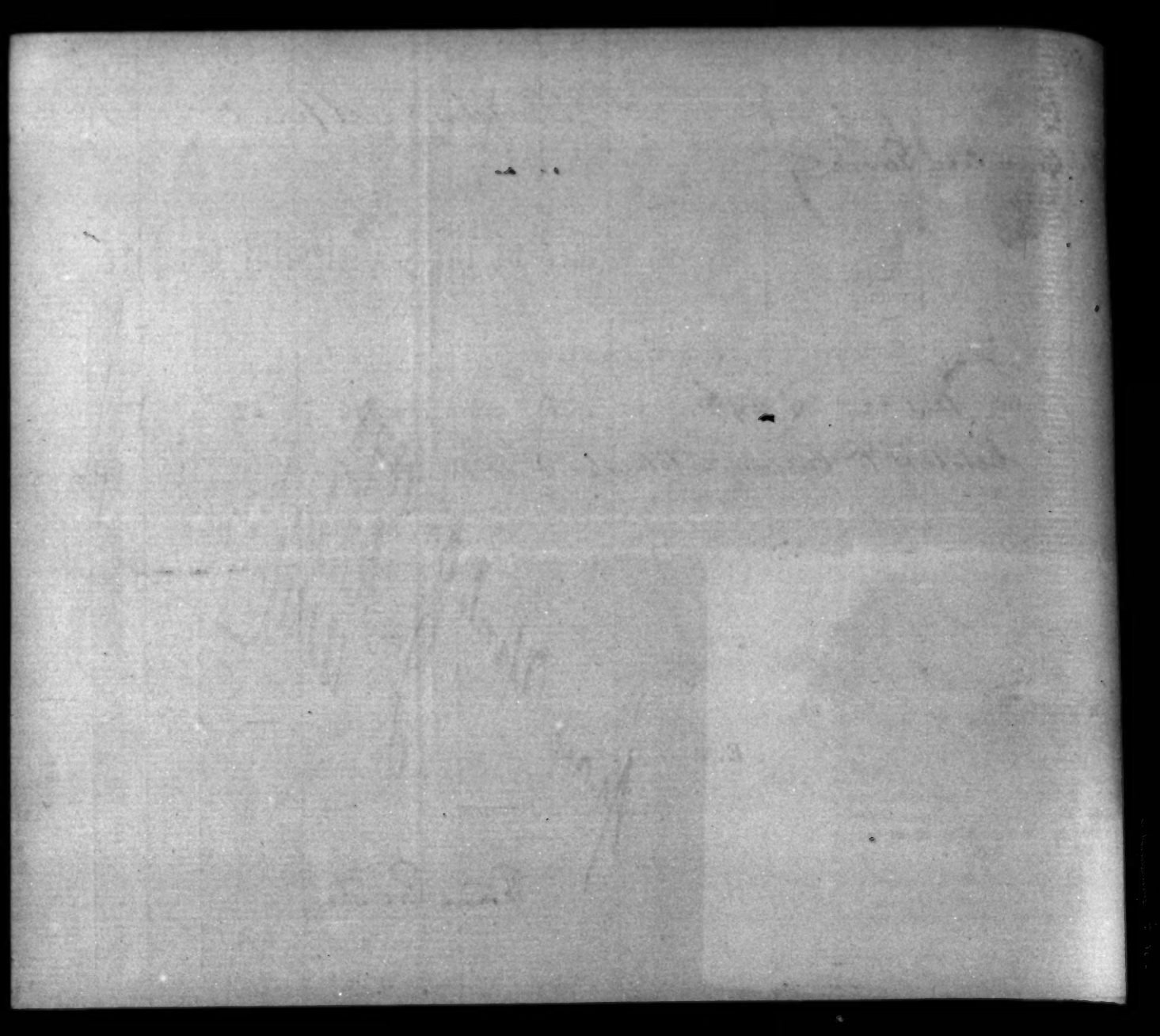
...t O. E.

April 30. 1878
J. Stahel
U.S. Consul Genl

May

Received Payment,

Thomas Preston,
Manager.



ipt for

Account No. 4 Shanghai, April 23 1878

The U.S. Consulate General

Dr. to "North-China Herald."

This receipt can only be left on payment of the amount.

Drafts and foreign coins of a like value will not be received unless at Market Value.

	Taels	c.	$	c.
...ge by a Cheque or Compradore Order.				
...ar Account rendered:				
Advertisement No. 2740 *in "N.C. DAILY NEWS,"*				
Re Blanchards Estate				
Apr 23/24				
20 lines	3.			
Received, for the Lessee,				
J. Brown	@ 73		4.	11

...PRADORE

Messrs. _____

...PAY (¼) *"NORTH-CHINA HERALD" Office,*
...ts for Advertising in *"NORTH-CHINA DAILY ..."* as per Account No. _____

No. 37

U. S. Consulate General,

Shanghai April 30th, 1878.

CASHIER U. S. Consulate General,

Pay (£) Cash or order

Mexican ~~Dollars~~ Seventy three Cents

which charge to Estate of W. A. Blanchard

Mex. $0,73/100

Please collect promptly.

J. Hahl

Vice Consul General.

37.

Julius Stahel.
United States Vice Consul General.
Account with the
Estate of W. H. Balsam. (died.)

Dr.

9	14	To Cash. bal. due. from Mr. Fleming.	2721		
	"	" " " " " Mustams.	26524		
	28	" " " " rec'd " Sale of effects.	45482.		
		Cr.			
9	15.	By Cash. paid rent.			2740
	20	" " " " balance due Chubo account.			564
	31	" " " " appraisers fees.			1000
	"	" " " " advertisement.			100
	"	" " " " "			300
	"	" " " " "			348
7	18	" " " to D. H. Bailey Esq.	~~45027~~		69975
			$45027		70027

E. & O. E.
Shanghai Sept. 13th 1848.

J. Stahel
Vice Consul Genl

Yours truly.

Enclosed please find Bank Account with the Bristol Bank of W. Va. Salem. (duplicate).

Dr.

	18	To Cash. Paid Bank Com. & Stamps.	2121
		" " " " Checks.	3825H
	28	" " " " Bal. carried over.	H24 83.
		Cr.	
	12.	By Cash. Paid Bank.	2HO
	20	" " " Balance due Bank Account.	58H
	31	" " " Interest Due.	1000
	"	" " " Exchange.	100
	"	" " "	300
	"	" " "	3H8
	18	" " To W.M. Collins Co.	9d42
			10032

B.A.B.

Thanking you, I remain, 1918.

Yours truly,

Account No. 272 Shanghai 16th August 1878

H. B. M. Consulate General

Dr. to "North-China Herald."

	Taels	m.
Advertisement No. 326 in "N.-C. DAILY NEWS,"		
Date 10th to 17th August 17		
	2	55
@ 7 54	3	48

U.S. CONSULATE GENERAL AUG 29 1878 SHANGHAI

Received, for the Proprietor,

[signature]

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(Duplicate)

U. S. Consulate General

Shanghai, 20th August 1878.

Dr. to the Office of the "Celestial Empire."

	$	Cts.
Advertising in "THE SHANGHAI COURIER" from 15th to 17th aug. 1878,	3	00
ADVERTISEMENT No. 1237		
(re Estate of William Nathaniel Folsom, deceased)		

E. & O. E.

Received Payment,

Thomas Preston,
Manager.

U.S. CONSULATE SHANGHAI 1878

Of the Late Wm. Nathl. Folsom Esq.

No. 525. duplicate

Augt 30th 1878.

U.S. Marshal Shanghai

Dr. to "North-China Herald" Office.

For Advertising Warrants

$1.00

— " —

as per voucher attached.

Received Payment, for Proprietor.

J. Brown

U.S. CONSULATE SHANGHAI AUG 1878

Mail and Express

Shanghai 15th August 1878

Estate of the late W. N. Folsom

Dr to Iveson & Co

One month's rent of Bungalow
No 4 Tiendong Road
From 1st Aug. to 31st August 1878 } Tls 20.—
@ 7/3 = $ 27.40

Received payment

Iveson & Co

pay and charge to Estate of the late W. N. Folsom

U. S. CONSULATE GENERAL, SHANGHAI, CHINA.

August 31st. 1878

Re. Estate of.

W. N. Folsom died. Dm probate.

To the United States Consulate General, Dr.

	$	c.
affairms fees. two affairms $5. ea	10	—

Received Payment,

R Adams act. Clk. et: . *Consul General.*

No.

U. S. Consulate General,

Shanghai, 30 Aug., 1878.

CASHIER M.S.C.Ly.

Pay (±) Chas. M. Pk. & Co China. or order

Mexican Dollars Five 64/100.

which charge to acct. balance funeral exp in Chefoo.

Lieut. W. N. Folsom (dec'd.)

Mex. $ 5.64

Please collect promptly.

J. Stahl.

Consul General.

FOR THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE
BANK OF INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA

Dausen

MANAGER SHANGHAI

Ack'g. Dec 7th 1878

Ack
6.P

Holwood

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United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 16th. 1878.

Com. Stabel. U.S. Vice Consul General.
to the Department of State Washington D.C.
Subject. Transfer of office.
Abstract. Forwarding. acct miscellaneous
expenses. Rent omitted on account of
absence of agent of property.

no. 112.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai Sept. 16th. 1848.

Honorable Charles. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform the Department that. I have this day in compliance with telegraphic instructions delivered to David H. Bailey Esq. U.S. Vice Consul General. the seals. records & archives together with all Government property. belonging to this office as per inventory which will be forwarded by. my successor.

I beg also to inclose the account for miscellaneous. expenses from. July. 1st. to Sept. 15th. inclusive. The rent I am unable to pay. as the agent of. the property. is absent and therefore Mr. Bailey has. kindly consented to pay the same. and charge it in his account.

Trusting that my accounts may meet with the approval of the Department.

I have the honor to be
Sir.

Your

Your obedient Servant.

J. Stahl

Vice Consul General.

No. 113.

Oct 27. 1848

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United States Consular Journal.
Shanghai Sept. 24th. 1848.
Wm. Stahl. late U.S. Vice Consul Journal.
To the Department of State. Washington.
Subject. Acknowledgment of dispatch.
No. 20.

Abstract of Contents.

Notice of transfer of office to David H. Bailey. on the 16th. inst.

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No. 113.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. Sept. 24th. 1898.

The Honorable.
Wm. M. Evarts.
Secretary of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 20. dated the 25th. of July last. which, owing to the delay of the mail reached me but yesterday. In reply permit me to refer you to my dispatch No. 111. to the Department of State from which you will perceive that. in accordance with your telegraphic instructions. I turned over the office of this Consulate General to Mr. David. H. Bailey on the 16th. instant.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
J. Stahl.
late U.S. Vice Consul General

Ack. 6. P. Nov. 12. 78 Mulvood

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No 1.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 26th 1878.

Jno. Bailey. U.S. Vice Consul General
To the Department of State Washington.
Subject. Jno. Bailey assumes charge.
Abstract of contents. Arrival in
Shanghai. No instructions received
at Consulate General. Telegraph
Lan Dame. Assume charge. exchange
visits. Satisfactory reception. —
courtesy of General Stahel. Satisfactory
condition of Consulate General and
its affairs.

No. 1.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 26th. 1848.

The Honorable.
Wm. M. Evarts.
Secretary of State
Washington D. C.

Sir:

Referring to my separate dispatch dated Paris July 12th I have the honor to inform you that I arrived here on the 6th. instant.

Com. Stahl having received no instructions from the Department to transfer the office to me, it was thought best to advise you of the situation by cable, which was done on the 6th inst. as follows:

"Evarts"
"Secretary of State"
"Washington"
"Awe in assurance of instructions"
"Stahl has no advices"
"Bailey"

on the 8th. inst the following reply was received:

"Stahl"

"Stahl"
"Vice Consul General"
"Shanghai."
"Usline Consulate to David H. Bailey"
"appointed Vice Consul General and"
"proceed to Osaka. instructions to"
"this effect mailed July twenty fifth"
"Evarts"
"Secretary"

In order to allow sufficient time for Mr. Stahl to close his accounts it was arranged that I should take over the office on the 16 th. inst. accordingly on that date I entered upon the duties of this Consulate General.

The usual official visits have been exchanged with the Chinese authorities, and with the representatives of Foreign Governments.

The Taotai has been good enough to recognize me as in charge without delaying for my exequatur from Peking. He has also evinced so cordial a spirit as to augur well for the relations between us. I inclose a translation of his reply concerning my assuming the

the duties of office.

I cannot close this dispatch without expressing a very high appreciation of the courtesy I have received at the hands of Mr. Stahel, and of the very satisfactory condition in which I find the Consulate and its affairs at the close of his administration.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant.
Saml. B. Hall
U.S. Vice Consul General.

Inclosure.
Translation of Fontaii dispatches

Copy.

Communication from H. B. Lin Pantai to Consul General Stahel in relation to the appointment of Hon. W. H. Bailey, U.S. Consul General at Shanghai.

Lin Intendant &c.

Received on the 14th. inst. the communication of the Honorable American Vice Consul General Stahel, to the effect that Mr. Bailey would assume the duties of the Consulate General on the 16th. inst. desiring that notice thereof be given, and that Mr. Bailey should experience the same treatment that he himself had received.

The Writer bearing in mind that Mr. Bailey had long held office at Hong Kong and is conversant with Chinese and foreign relations and now being on duty with him at Shanghai he cannot fail to maintain friendly intercourse, as heretofore, and really, there was no need to indicate this duty.

Besides communicating the fact to higher authorities, and to the District magistrate, & the Magistrate of the Mixed Court, it is incumbent on him to address this dispatch in reply.

With respectful compliments.

Shanghai.
Sept. 19. 1878.

J. J. Macgowan
Interpreter U.S. Consulate General

Signature read as mistake.

Copy.

Communication from the Taotai in acknowledgment of Vice Consul General Bailey's prepared visit to his yamen.

Lin. by. appointment of the Emperor of China Intendant Provincial Treasurer. Superintendent of the Shanghai Kiangnan maritime Customs. Intendant of Soochow. Sunkiang and Tai chang. and Military ruler. advanced two degrees, and awarded two times makes the subjoined communication to the Honorable David A. Bailey H.B.M. Vice Consul General.

The writer has just had the honor to receive from His Excellency Bailey his kind communication conveying the information of his fortunate acquisition to the Consulate Generalship which gratifies the writer excessively. He intended to be the first to call and congratulate Hon. Bailey but as the honorable gentleman has the goodness to prepare calling first, a favor he does not presume on, he accepts the liberal offer, and requests the Consul General to call at 10 o'clock a. m. 21st. inst. when tea shall be duly prepared This special reply is communicated with respectful compliments.

Shanghai. Sept. 18th. 1878.

N.B. The seal of his Excellency is affixed to the envelope and does not appear in the dispatch proper.

J. L. Macgowan
Interpreter U.S. Consulate General.

Enclosure No. 1

with dispatch No 1.

Dept of State

Letter from Tientsin

Mr. Wood.

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No. 2. Dispatch

United States Consulate General
Shanghai Sept. 26th. 1848.

Wm. Bailey. U.S. Vice Consul General
To the Department of State Washington D.C.
Subject. Acknowledging dispatch No. 1.
Contents. Reference to dispatch No. 1. in-
closed herewith.

No. 2.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. Sept. 26th. 1848.

The Honorable,
Wm. M. Evarts,
Secretary of State,
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No 1, bearing date July 25th, informing me of my appointment as Vice Consul General at Shanghai. Concerning my assuming the office I beg to refer you to my dispatch No. 1, of this date, sent under cover with this.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
David W. Bailey
U.S. Vice Consul General

Mr. Wood.

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No. 3.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai Sept. 26th. 1878.

Wm. Bailey. U.S. Vice Consul General.
To the Department of State. Washington
Subject. Acknowledging dispatches No. 21
& 22 to Hon. Statel.

No. 3.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. Sept. 26th. 1898.

Hon. Wm. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of despatches No. 21 & 23. addressed to my predecessor.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.

Frank H. Hall
U.S. Vice Consul General

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No. 4. Dispatches

U.S. Consulate General
Shanghai. Sept. 26th. 1878.

Hon. Bailey. U.S. Vice Consul General
To the Department of State Washington. D.C.
Subject. Acknowledging dispatch No. 3.
Approval of bond.

No. 4.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 26th. 1848.

Hon. Wm. Hunter.
Second Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of dispatch No. 3, notifying me of the approval of my official bond, and that it has been deposited with the Secretary of the Treasury.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
David W. Stiles
U.S. Vice Consul General

Mr. Wood.

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No. 5.

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United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 26th. 1878.

Jno. Bailey U.S. Vice Consul General
to the Department of State Washington
Subject. Forwarding inventory of
Government Property and Farm.5.

No. 5.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 26th. 1848.

Hon. Chas. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State
Washington D. C.

Sir:

In accordance with Consular Regulations of 1844. Art. IX. I have the honor to transmit herewith an inventory of the Government property accompanied by certificate, as per Form No. 5, signed by Wm. Stahel & myself.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient servant.
Robert H. Pruyn
U.S. Vice Consul General

Inventory of property belonging to the United States Government in the United States Consulate General Shanghai China.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. September. 16th. 1898.

We certify, on this the sixteenth day of September, the services of Julius Stahel ceased on the fifteenth day of September and that he is entitled to his salary as per. including said day; and that the services of David H. Bailey commenced on this the sixteenth day, he having received the archives, a full and complete inventory of which is hereto annexed, as required by the Consular Regulations Chapter XXIII.

David H. Bailey
U.S. Vice Consul General
J. Stahel.
Late U.S. Vice Consul General

Left.

✓14 Old record books. ✓
✓10 New .. .. . ✓
4 boxes Stationery.

Consul Grimsals office

1 Ribbon stamp. (U.S. Consul. Shanghai)
✓1 Writing table. drawers. ✓
✓1 .. " open slate. ✓
✓1 Revolving chair & cushion. ✓
✓1 Stationery cupboard with drawers for correspondence. ✓
1 Set of Stationery.
✓2 Book. cases. (6 compartments each). ✓
✓1 Bronze ink stand. ✓
✓1 Call bell. ✓
✓2 Arm chairs. ✓
1 Office safe. ✓
2 Book shelves. ✓
✓1 Chinese tea pot. ✓
✓1 Waste paper basket. ✓
✓1 Perpetual calendar.
1+2 Consular seals (dry) ✓
1 Consular seal (wax) ✓
1 Consular seal (Chinese) ✓
1 Consular seal. (Chinese & English) ✓
1 Court seal. ✓
✓2 Framed pictures Centennial - ✓
1 Penknife.
1 Pair shears.
8 Cups & saucers. (Chinese)
1 Envelope & paper case. ✓
1 Dispatch basket. ✓

Books.

1 Dispatches to Department of State (Wm. Hayes time) ✓
1 .. .. .. " .. Wm. Wallis & Wm Stokely time) ✓
✓22 Letter books. correspondence (sent) ✓
✓64 .. .. " (rec'd) ✓
✓ 8 Old letter books. (rec'd & sent) ✓
✓15 Vols. N. China Herald Sup. Court & Consular Gazette. ✓
5 " Old Consular Regulations.
1 " 4th Census. of the U.S.
1 " 8 " " " " " "
1 " 9 " " " " " "

11	Vols.	Pubts. Department of Agriculture.
8	"	Geneva. Arbitration.
42	"	Annals of Congress.
130	"	Diplomatic Correspondence.
14	"	Encyclopedia Americanus.
1	"	Assassination of President Lincoln.
1	"	Treaties & Conventions with U.S. & other Powers.
1	"	Municipal Decisions of the U.S.
1	"	Statutes at Large (series)
32	"	Commercial regulations.
11	"	Foreign Regulations.
1	"	Andrews. Pubt. Colonial & Eastern trade.
8	"	Codes & Statutes California Laws.
1	"	U.S. Court Reports.
1	"	" " " Dradys.
2	"	" " " Blacks.
4	"	Kents Commentaries
2	"	Bouvier's Law Dictionary.
2	"	Chitty's Blackstone.
1	"	" Contracts.
1	"	Paley's Law of Principal & Agent.
2	"	Maritime Laws.
1	"	Commercial Digest.
1	"	Prize Cases. in New York.
1	"	Abbott on Shipping.
1	"	Benedicts Admiralty.
3	"	Story on Constitution.
1	"	" " Agency.
2	"	" " Contracts.
2	"	" " Equity jurisprudence.
1	"	Conkling U.S. Treaties.
1	"	Wheatons Elements International Laws
1	"	Gould's Pleadings.
3	"	Greenleaf on Evidence.
2	"	Russell on crimes.
2	"	Bishop on Criminal Law.
28	"	Howard's reports U.S. Courts
4	"	Wallace's reports. "
1	"	Restills Insurance.
1	"	Jacobsen's Sea Laws.
1	"	Elliots Diplomatic code.
1	"	Laws. US Navy & Marine corps.
3	"	Brightly's Digest.
20	"	U.S. Statutes at Large.

9 Vols. Opinions Atty. Genl.
1 Vol. Digest " " " "
1 " Missions Law book.
1 " Postal Laws & Regulations.
1 " Genl Law book. Pacific coast.
1 " Rights & Duties Merchant Seamen.
1 " China Directory.
1 " Customs Regulations 1874.
1 " U.S. Tariff. 1869.
1 " " " 1877.
Large collection Miscellaneous reports pamphlets &c.
1 Vol. French & English Dictionary.
1 " New Solicitors Assistant.

Court Room.

1 Platform & carpet.
1 Large table for judge & associates.
1 " " " council.
1 Long " " reporters.
1 Witness stand carpeted.
1 High chair.
1 Bible.
3 Ink stands.
18 Common seat chairs.
1 Prisoners box.

Consular Clerks office.

1 Common desk. drawers & Belgian slabs.
1 Chair.

Office Solicitor of Consular Court.

1 Case for record books & papers. (5 compartments)
1 Chinese desk with drawers.
1 Walnut " " "
1 Stand up " " Belgian slabs.
2 Ink stands.
2 Ballot boxes for associates.
1 Ribbon stamp (U.S. Consulate Genl)
2 Copying machines.
1 Consular Regulations 1874.
1 Book. Cash a/c Court costs.
1 Copy press & stand.
3 Press copy books.
1 Paper basket.
2 Old dockets.
1 each. letters rec'd & sent.
1 Probate ledger.

1 Dispatch basket.
1 Record book. Correspondence with Consuls &c. Diplt & Legal
3 Plans. Settlements.
4 Cane seat chairs. ✓
1 Police charge book.
1 Revolving chair. ✓
1 Set Court Forms. ✓
2 Rules.
1 Civil docket. ✓
1 memo book. ✓
2 Paper weights.
1 book affidavits letter cases.

Halls.

✓ 6 Door mats. ✓
✓ 2 Wooden benches. ✓
✓ 1 Hat rack. ✓
1 Cane seat chair. ✓
1 Court Calendar. ✓
1 Petition board. ✓
✓ 1 Set coir matting. ✓

Interpreter's office.

✓ 1 Large Walnut desk & drawers. ✓
1 Envelope paper case. ✓
1 Desk for Chinese writer. ✓
✓ 1 Glass front bookcase. ✓
1 Revolving chair & cushions. ✓
✓ 4 Chinese chairs. ✓
1 " teapoy ✓
✓1 " map Settlements & Drives. ✓
24 Vols. correspondence from Chinese Authorities. ✓
4 " " to " " ✓
✓ 2 Chinese maps Canton and Shanghai ✓
✓ 2 Cane seat chairs. ✓
✓ 1 Cell bell.
2 Ink stands. ✓
1 Consular Court Regulations ✓
✓ 1 Chinese map. Provincial (Hupeh) ✓
2 Vols. mixed Court dockets. ✓
1 Chip basket. ✓

Deputy & Vice Consul Gen'l's office.

✓1 Revolving chair. ✓
1 Bible.
✓1 Writing table drawers both sides. ✓
2 San Francisco Directories ✓

1 Stand up desk.
1 Cane seat chair.
1 Clock.
1 Picture Washington.
1 small book case on mantle.

Writing & Journal office.

1 Counter with places for blanks & list of blanks.
1 Chinese table.
1 Bible.
1 Dry seal.
1 Ribbon stamp.
1 Chinese table. 3 square holes. (shelf)
1 small case on mantle.
1 Bulletin board.
1 M.S. Mail bag. (many)
1 Large desk. drawers & pigeon holes.
1 stand up desk.
1 Fire proof safe (German make)
1 Boiler plate safe. (American make. Jacksonville)
3 Cane seat chairs.
1 small desk on counter.
1 Call bell.
6 Bound books & corresponding duds. 3 in German safe.
5 Record books.
1 Dicks Daily Journal.
1 Arrival & departure of vessels.
1 Registry. Landing certificates
1 Invoice book.
1 Seamans register.
1 Tonnage fee book.
1 Consular Reg. 1874.
1 Seamans rebate book. & 1 d/c current book.
4 Weekly Marine note of protests
3 " " d/c. "
1 " Quarterly statement of fees.
1 Wax seal
1 Invoice stamp.
4 Ink stands.
1 Copy press. stand & book.
1 Webster Dictionary
3 Tariff books.

Wilmington.

1 Coat of arms.

Signs.

✓1 Consul General. ✓
1 Consular Court. ✓
✓1 Consular Clerk. ✓
1 Clerk of Consular Court. ✓
1 Court Orders. ✓
✓1 Interpreter. ✓
1 Vice & Deputy Consul General. ✓
1 Disbursing Clerk & Cashier office. ✓
1 Marshal's & Waiting room. ✓
1 U.S. Post office. ✓
1 "Closed" ✓

Marshal's & Waiting room.

✓1 Cupboard.
✓2 Tables. ✓
✓2 Cane Chairs.

Post office

2 Large Iron. (Safes & Irons) ✓
✓1 Large Sorting Table. ✓
✓1 Writing Table. ✓
✓1 Set Alphabetical Boxes (Letters) ✓
✓1 " " " (Papers) ✓
3 Upright distributing Boxes. ✓
2 small " Stands. ✓
✓1 Stamping Table. ✓
✓1 Set Pigeon holes for Chinese letters. ✓
1 Table.
1 Candlestick.
✓3 Post office scales. ✓
1 Spring balance scale.
1 Coby book. letters sent.
1 Register of registered letters.
1 " " letter book.
1 Memo. request book.
5 Old Style mail bags.
5 New " " (canvas)
3 Letter books for Steamers. 2
1 Pkg. Wrapping paper.
1 Twine box & Ball of cotton twine.
1 Shelf for sorting letters.
1 Desk stand.
1 Leather mail bag.
3 Desk seals.
4 Cancelling stamps. ✓

2 Date stamps with types. ✓
1 Registers " " " ✓
1 Warrant & Commitment stamp. ✓
1 Due stamp. ✓
1 Paid " ✓
1 " in full stamp. ✓
1 Unpaid stamp. ✓
1 Part Paid " ✓
1 Returned Conviction stamp. ✓
1 Insufficient Distress " ✓
1 H.S. Postal guide. ✓
3 Vols. Postal regulations. ✓
1 Large Ironsafe. ✓
1 Book Late stamp. ✓
1 Seal stamp. ✓
Sundry items.

Jail Yard.

1 Flagstaff & fittings. ✓
1 Curtain. 30 feet. ✓
1 " 20 " ✓
1 " 12 " ✓
1 Pendant 50 " ✓

Jail Buildings.

8 Hard wood bedsteads. ✓
8 Bamboo matresses. 2.
28 Gray blankets. (old) 14
8 Bamboo pillows. 2.
10 Buckets for cells. 2
12 Brass pad locks.
2 Long tables. ✓
2 " benches.
1 Water filter. ✓
1 Wash basin.
1 " " & stand.
1 Window pole hook.
1 set Jail rules (framed)
3 Coir mats.
1 Book case & about 50 books. ✓
4 Gas-brackets. ✓
2 Hall pendants. ✓ 2
1 Gas lamp. ✓ 2
1 Large stove & fittings. ✓

1 small stove & fittings. ✓
1 Lot coir matting (old)
2 pair leg irons. 3
19 " hand irons. 11
5 Latches, hand rope.
1 Spade. (broken) ✓
1 small tackle.
1 Pine table.
1 Long bench.
1 Wooden bath tub.
2 Water buckets.
2 Dust pans.
2 Tin wash basins (bull of hales)
2 Lots pine shelving.
2 Tin canisters. ✓
4 Water Kongs. ✓
1 Long (bull)
1 Lot Keys & duplicates. ✓
1 Wash basin & stand. ✓
1 Night day dock. ✓
1 Set fail rules. framed.
4 Coal scuttles. ✓

Jail Kitchen. ✓

1 Cooking stove.
1 Coffee boiler. ✓
1 Tin - " .
1 Coffee mill.
10 Table Knives.
4 " forks.
9 Mess pans.
10 Sauce " .
2 Frying " .
1 Gridiron —
2 Baking pans.
4 Tin platters.
4 Spoons. large.
1 Water Kang.
2 Brass. padlocks. ✓
1 coal shovel (old)
1 Mess tray.
2 hard wood tables. ✓
1 " " cupboard.
1 Scale. (30. lbs) ✓

Stores belonging to offices.

2 Gas burner stars. ✓
1 small stake . . . ✓
1 " cottage . . . ✓

Record books in Shaffs safe.

4 Nos. 1. 2. 3. 4. Deeds. Mtgs. &c. &c ✓
2 Old record books (Chinese made)
1 Book. vouchers.
2 Books. Post office correspondence.

In Com. Stubbs safe.

1 Set brass. weights.

Passports.

8 Passports. 227/234 inclusive.
1 Passport book. ✓

Estates.

699 In Re. Est. W. C. Balsam. (died) In probate.
Two pictures. one rose plate in maracco case
one tin type. one hair ring. one lot of photos.
one calfar hat containing sundry trinkets &c.
Memo. of Wills agreements &c. on file for safe keeping.
See Record book. No. 1. page 331.
1 Com. Nichols agreement.
2 U. Com. Austin's copartnership.
3 Thos. F. Stimson's Will
4 John Reynolds papers relating to prize money.
5 Papers relating to Com. Foster's fund.
6 Antietta Rankin. alias Fannie Grays Will.
9 G. W. McKinney's Will
10 Com. J. Yates. Will.
11 Russell & Co's Hong Kong case
12 E. Grays Will.
16 Russell & Co's. bond. $25000. (Habitat. many)
18 A. Cannon's Will
19 G. W. Pawatts " .
20 J. Goodrich's request in case of death.
21 S. Carpenter's Will
22 S. Blethen's will.
23 S. A Lords Will.

Additional books.

1 Vol Knights. Digest ✓

Shanghai. China.
September 16. 1848.

Saml Shepard
J. Hahn

U.S.N. Consul General
late U.S.N. Consul General

Shanghai China.

Inclosure No. 1.

With dispatch No. 5.

Department of State

Inventory of Garment
Deposits. Sept. 16th 1878

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No 6.

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United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 30th. 1878.

Wm. Bailey U.S. Vice Consul General.
to the Department of State. Washington
Subject. Death of John Symons.
Abstract. of contents. Testamentary Will
and information. regarding Estate

Encl. Letter
Nov. 13. 78.

No. 6.

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 30th. 1868.

Hon. Charles. Payson.
Chief Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I regret to report the death of. John Symons. at this port on the 11th. inst.

Mr. Symons was a native of England, but a naturalized citizen of the United States, as appears by a certificate issued by the United States District Court, for the State of Maryland. dated May 10th. 1855.

He registered himself as a citizen in this office. January 20. 1866, and gave his address, "Care of Mrs. J. Symons 222, Lough Street. Baltimore", who, there is reason to believe, was his wife.

He left a will, a copy of which I inclose.

The estate is at present in the hands of H. H. Burritt as executor, Mr. Smith having renounced his trust.

trust, to enable him to be a witness in praving the will.

The appraised value of the estate is ($16894.68). Sixteen thousand eight-hundred and ninety four 68/100 dollars.

I have the honor to be.

Sir.

Your obedient servant.

Saml H. Smith

U.S. Vice Consul General.

John.

This is the last Will and Testament of me John Lymans of Shanghai China.

I direct that all my just debts and funeral and Testamentary Expenses be paid and satisfied by my Executors hereinafter named as soon as conveniently may be after my decease. I give devise and bequeath all and every my Household Furniture, Linen and Wearing Apparel. Books. Plate. Pictures. China. Horses Carts and Carriages and also all and every sums and sums of Money which may be found in my House or be about my person or due to me at the time of my decease and also all my Stocks, Funds and Securities for Money, Book Debts, Money on Bonds Bills, Notes or other Securities and all and every other of my Estate and effects Whatsoever and Wheresoever, both Real and Personal, whether in Possession or Reversion. Remainder or Expectancy unto my Brother Richard Lymans, my Sister Mary Ann Lymans and nephew John Lymans to be divided equally, after paying one thousand Taels Shanghai Sycee to my house Keeper Ayonyau and a like sum to my adopted daughter Mamie Lymans to and for their own use and benefit absolutely, and I nominate, constitute and appoint Charles Burnett and C. J. Smith Without bonds to be Executors of this my Will; and hereby revoking all former or other Wills or Testaments by me at anytime heretofore made. I declare this to be my last Will and Testament.

In Witness whereof the said John Lymans have to this my last Will and Testament set my hand the Twenty second day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & seventy eight.

(Sgd) John Lymans.

signed sealed published & declared as and for the last Will and Testament of the said John Lymans. in the presence of us. who. in his presence and in the presence of each other all being present at the same time have hereto set our hands as Witnesses thereto on the day of the date above written.

(Sgd) A. Wilson.
" Edmd. J. Smith.
" W. B. Bain.

Consulate of the United States
Consulate General
Shanghai July. 11th. 1878

Personally appeared W. B. Bain and Edmund J. Smith. who upon oath declare that they at the request of John Lymans in his presence and in the presence of each other signed the foregoing will as Witnesses - that the said John Lymans signed the same in their presence and declared it to be his last Will and Testament.

Sworn to before me
(sgd) O. K. Davis
acting Clk. of Ds.

(sgd) W. B. Bain.
(") Edmd J. Smith.

Court of the United States.
Consulate General.
Shanghai. Sept. 30th. 1878.

I the undersigned. do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true. correct and faithful copy of the last will and testament of John Symons. deceased. on file in this office.

Witness my hand and the seal of this Court the day and year in this certificate written at Shanghai China.

B. R. Lewis.
acting. Clerk of Court.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. Sept. 30. 1878.

I the undersigned United States Vice Consul. General. for the Empire of China. resident at Shanghai. duly commissioned and sworn do hereby certify that. B. R. Lewis who signed the foregoing certificate is the acting clerk of the Court. and that his certificate so signed is worthy of full faith and credit.

Witness my hand and the seal of this Consulate General at Shanghai China. the day and year in this certificate written.

Edward H. Hall
U.S. Vice Consul General.

Inclosure No. 1.

With Dispatch No. 6.

Department of State

Copy of Last Will
of Stuart. D. Symmons

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Shanghai. Sept. 30. 1878.

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Mr. Bailey U.S.N. Consul General.

To the Department of State. Washington D.C.

Subject. Death of Mrs Fox.

Abstract of contents.

Value of estate. Has a sister in Japan.

Edward Pallander
Nov. 13-1878-

Mr Wood

Shanghai

Form 3.

No. 53 ny

CABLE MESSAGE.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

All CABLE MESSAGES received for transmission must be written on the Message Blanks provided by this Company for that purpose, under and subject to the conditions printed thereon, and on the back hereof, which conditions have been agreed to by the sender of the following Message.

A. R. BARWELL, Secretary. WILLIAM ORTON, President.

To Hunter assistant Secretary State Washington

Received at Washington DC Oct 2 1878

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United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. Oct. 20. 1878.

Wm. Bailey M.D. Vice Consul General
To the Department of State Washington.
Subject. Original depositions in case
"C.C. Whitmore"

Your obedient servant.
David H. Bailey
U.S. Vice Consul General

Inclosure.
1. Original dispatches in case.
"C.O. Whitman"

Sick - transmitted to Treasury Dept. Nov. 14. 58

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no. 9.

United States Consulate General.

Shanghai. Oct. 20. 1848.

Wm. Bailey US. Vice Consul General.

To the Department of State Washington.

Subject. Forwarding. Dr. Macgowans.

report of health to Dr. Woodworth.

Surgeon General U.S. Navy.

No. 9.

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. Oct. 2d. 1848.

Hon. Charles. Payson.
Third asst. Secty. of State.
Washington D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that, having received from the Treasury Department a circular letter with reference to information that is desired by the Surgeon General of the Marine Hospital Service at Washington D.C. I submitted it to Dr. Macgowan the Interpreter of this Consulate with a request to report to me on the subject. whereupon he indited the response herewith inclosed for the transmission to Dr. Woodworth Surgeon General U.S. M.H.S.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.

David Stevenson
U.S. Vice Consul General

Ack by L.P.
Ack J. Dec 7th 1878

Inclosures

no. 10

United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. 10th. October. 1878.

Wm. Bailey U.S. Vice Consul General
To the Dipartment of State Washington.
Subject. Wm. Lewis appointment as.
Acting Marshal and Acting Clerk of Court.

No. 10

United States Consulate General
Shanghai. 10th. Oct. 1878

Hon. Charles. Payson.
Third Asst. Secty. of State.
Washington. D.C.

Sir:

I have the honor to inclose herewith copies of certificates given by G. Wiley Wells. Esquire to R.R. Lewis. and to inform the Department that. Mr. Lewis has filled the positions of Acting Marshal. for which purpose bond was duly filed. and acting Clerk of the Court. from their respective dates up to the time of his leaving this under subpoena from the House of Representatives.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient servant.
David H. Bailey
U.S. Vice Consul General

Inclosure

Inclosure.

No. 1. Mr. Lewis' appointments

Copy.

To all to whom these presents shall come.

Greeting.

I certify ~~that~~ B. R. Lewis has been appointed ~~the~~ Marshal of the Consulate General of the United States for China at Shanghai with all the privileges and authorities of right appertaining to ~~that~~ office.

In testimony whereof I. D. G. Wiley Wells. Consul General of the United States for China at Shanghai, have hereunto subscribed my hand and caused the seal of this Consulate General to be affixed.

Done at the port of Shanghai China, this first day of December. A.D. 1877. and the 101st. of the Independence of the United States

(Sgd.) D. Wiley Wells.

L.S. U.S. Consul General

Oath.

Court of the United States Consulate General
Shanghai. 28. November. 1877.
I do hereby appoint B.R. Lewis.
acting Clerk of the Consular
Court of this Consulate General.
(Sgd) J. Wiley Wells.
Consul General
acting Judicially.

Court of the United States Consulate General.
Shanghai. 28. November 1877.
I. B.R Lewis do solemnly swear
~~that~~ I will faithfully discharge
all the duties incumbent upon
me as Clerk of the Court.
So help me God.
(Sgd.) B. R. Lewis.

Sworn to before me
at Shanghai this 28th.
day of November 1877.
(Sgd) J. Wiley Wells.
Consul General acting judicially.

Shanghai. China.

Inclosure No. 1.

With dispatch no.

Department of State

Am. Cons's appointment
as marshal and clk.
of Court

Receipt Ack^d. Dec^r 4th 1878 Mr. Wood.

No. 11] Oct 11th 187 8 General United States Consulate at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Consular C/c returns third qr. 1878

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Inclosures

No. 1. Digest of Invoices book filed

" 2 Register of letters sent do

" 3 Register of letters received. do

" 4 Arrival & Departure of American Vessels filed

" 5 Return of deceased American Citizens. do

No. 6 Rent and Miscellaneous Expenses. do

No. 11

United States Consulate, General,

Shanghai, Oct. 17th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Asst. Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith (inclosures Nos 1 to 5 inclusive) my accounts and returns for the quarter ending Sept. 30th 1878. And inclosure No. 6. My Miscellaneous expenses account for the fractional quarter commencing Sept. 16th and ending Sept 30th 1878. in each in accordance with paragraph 379 of the Consular Regulations -1874.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General

[Form No. 118.]

Register of Official Letters and Dispatches received at the United States Consulate General at Shanghai, China, for the Quarter ending 30th. Sept. 1878.

NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN RECEIVED.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
Ch. M. Council.	7465	Shanghai. July 1st.	July 2d.	affixes by men of war men.		
Oriental Bank. Corpn.	7466	" June 29	" "	Balance of acct.		
United States Consul	7467	Hankow. " "	" "	Dispatches for Dist & Leg.	2.	
Taotai.	7468	Shanghai. July 1.	" "	Vice Reps return to office.		
Mrs. to M. Roberts.	7469	" " 3.	" 5.	Request to continue husband	1	D'Hallis entitled.
U.S. Legation.	7470	Peking. June 29.	" "	to Mr. Williams case Secretary		
Capt. Pitzhugh.	7471	Shanghai. July 5.	" 6.	arrest & punishment of men.		
U.S. Legation.	7472	Peking. June 19.	" "	acknt. 615.		
"	7473	" " "	" "	" 619-625/28.		
U.S. Consul.	7474	Hankow. July 3.	" 8.	Dispatches for Dist & Leg.	3	
Capt. Pitzhugh.	7475	Shanghai. " 8.	" "	4 Consular notices	4	
Taotai.	7476	" " " 4.	" "	Desp. 328.	2	
"	7477	" " " "	" "	D. White passport returned		

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Agt. P.&O. S.N.Co.	7478	Shanghai. July 8.	July 9.	Lamage dues mail ltrs.		
Rev. R. Nelson.	7479	" " "	" "	Lost Co. J. Bridgeman(clerk)	4.	
District Magistrate.	7480	" " " 9.	" 10.	Warrant for arst.	1.	
Capt. Fitzhugh.	7481	" " " 10.	" "	Sending for two seamen.		
R. J. McCarlin.	7482	" " " 9.	" "	Consltr agst tea house.	1.	
U.S. Consul.	7483	Ningpo. " " 10.	" 11 "	Dispatches for Supt & Leg.	2.	
Capt. Fitzhugh.	7484	Shanghai. " " 11.	" "	Arrest of seaman.		
U.S. Legation.	7485	Peking. " " 5.	" 11.	Ack. 620/24. 629/631.		
State Department.	7486	Washington. May 10.	" 12.	Transit acct. $200 allowed	1.	
"	7487	" " 21,	" "	Ack. 48/59. Telegrams May 7+16. + all. 28.		
"	7488	" " 28.	" "	Pardon G.W. Eckfeldt.	1.	
Supt Auditor	7489	" " 24.	" "	Rect. relief acct.		
Ch. Or. Council.	7490	Shanghai. July 12	" "	R.J. McCarlin consltt.		

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U.S.N. Consul.	7491	Hong Kong. July 5.	July 12.	Schr. "William Phillips"		
Dr. Jamieson.	7492	Shanghai. " 12.	" 13.	asking copy med. statistics of war.		
Harbor Master.	7493	" . " ...	" " .	re. McDonalds case.		
Patrick & Carter.	7494	Philadelphia. May 10.	" " .	Telegraphic apparatus.		
U.S. Consul.	7495	Foochow. July 1.	" " .	Accts & vchs. 2d Quarter 1878.	3	
H.B. Prey.	7496	Shanghai. " 13.	" 14.	Note for Bg "Vesta"		
Capt. Pittsburgh.	7497	" . " 15.	" 15.	Rewards for men.	2.	
Santos.	7498	" . " 12.	" " .	Ord. 39.		
U.S. Consul.	7499	Canton. " 5.	" 16.	Accts & vchs. 2d Qr. 1878.	2	
"	7500	" . " ...	" " .	Ref. Manchu.	1.	
Geo. Derrick.	7501	Shanghai. " 15.	" " .	Ref. Derrick vs Jenkins.		
U.S. Consul.	7502	Amoy. " 13.	" 17.	Forwd. dept 2. Invoices.	3.	
J.W. Miller	7503	Shanghai. " 17.	" " .	Ord. 328.	2	

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Harbor Master.	7504	Shanghai May. 28.	July. 18.	D. McDonald's case.		
Treasury Department	7505	Washington " " .	" " .	Interpreters &c.		
"	7506	" " " .	" " .	Jail at Osaka & Hiogo		
"	7507	" " " .	" " .	Salary & fees " .		
"	7508	" " " .	" " .	Relief of seamen.		
"	7509	" " " .	" " .	Marshal's acct.		
"	7510	" June. 5.	" " .	Interpreters acct. 1st 2d. 1878.		
"	7511	" " " .	" " .	Salary & fees " " " " .		
J. D. Burdick.	7512	Oakland Cal. " 8.	" " .	Inquiries for O. E. Bailey.		
W. D. Delany.	7513	Charlottesville Va. " 7.	" " .	" " J. Porter.		
U. S. Consul.	7514	Ningpo. July. 18.	" 19.	Letters to Collectors.		
"	7515	Newchwang " 10	" 20.	Accts & rets.	4.	
R. J. McCartin.	7516	Shanghai. " 18.	" " .	Japanese teachers memorandum	2.	

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Ralph Fitzhugh.	7517	Shanghai. July 24.	July 24.	Reward for men.	2.	
W. S. Witman.	7518	" " "	" "	Deed for land.	4.	
U.S. Consul.	7519	Amoy. " 20.	" 25.	Land accts.	11	
U.S. Legation.	7520	Peking. " 15.	" "	Ack. to 32/33.		
U.S. Consul.	7521	Ningpo " 10.	" 27.	Land accts & rets.	8.	
Taotai	7522	Shanghai. " 26.	" "	Embraces birth day.		
U.S. Consul.	7523	Tungchuang. " 19.	" "	Asking for blank forms.		
"	7524	Foochow " 22.	" "	" copy dis. to Noack		
Taotai	7525	Shanghai. " 27	" 29.	Locates land deed 333.	2.	
U.S. Consul.	7526	Canton. " 23.	" 30.	Land dis 13 for Legation	1.	
Spanish Consul	7527	Shanghai. " 30.	" "	Death. Queen of Spain.		
Taotai	7528	" " 29	" "	Claim cargo damaged Packages		
Ons. C. M. Conneil	7529	" " 30	" "	Issues. of Expn. Settlement		

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Williams & Co.	7530	Swatow. July 28.	July 31.	Williams & Bradley case		
U.S. Consul.	7531	Amoy. " 27.	" "	Rend. dis. for Dft.	2	
Capt. Pitzhugh.	7532	Shanghai. " 31.	" "	Reward for seaman.	1.	
U.S. Consul.	7533	Nagasaki. " 23.	" "	Regarding Wm. Schiller.		
Rev. Wm. Du Bois.	7534	Foochow. " 31.	Aug. 1.	Foochow troubles.		
U.S. Consul General	7535	Kanagawa. " 24.	" 2.	Inquiry about J. Kelly.		
Lin Kim.	7536	Foochow. " 29.	" 3.	claim agst. U.S. Consul. Amoy		
U.S. Consul.	7537	" " 30	" "	Lin Kim. claim agst Mr. Henderson.		
Capt. Pitzhugh.	7538	Shanghai. Aug. 5.	" 5.	Reward for omen.		
Pantai	7539	" " "	" "	Letters. Mrs. Witman's land.		
U.S. Consul.	7540	Amoy. " 2.	" 6.	Rend. dis for Dft & acts dis	1.	
"	7541	" " "	" "	" " " " "	1	
"	7542	Newchwang. July 31.	" "	" " " "	1.	

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Chas. H. Patterson.	7543	Hong Kong. July. 26.	Aug 6.	ask. certif. reg. as U.S. citizen		
G. G. Hopkins.	7544	Shanghai. Aug 6.	" "	notice purchase "Haitan" wreck		
Capt. Pitcher.	7545	" " 4.	" 4.	Rewards for men.	9.	
Capt. Sumner.	7546	Yokohama. July. 26.	" 8.	R. Mayhead's affair.	3.	
A. Malcolm.	7547	Hong Kong. Aug. 1.	" "	Malcolm vs. Jenkins.		
Tantai -	7548	Shanghai " 4.	" "	Rev. Mr. Du Bose's case		
Senior Consul.	7549	" " 8.	" 9.	Acting Consul for Portugal.		
German Consul Gen.	7550	" " "	" "	Regarding H. A. Uhlfelder.		
Mr. Mr. De Lano	7551	Foochow. " 6.	" "	sending for stamps.		
Capt. Pitcher.	7552	Shanghai. " 9.	" "	Rewards for men.	2.	
Knight & Co.	7553	Newchwang. " 5.	" "	Permit for arms.		
Tantai	7554	Shanghai. " 8.	" "	Religious processions.		
Netherlands Consul	7555	" " 10	" 10.	asking when Manoeuvres is.		

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R.C. Hunter.	7556	Shanghai. Aug. 10.	Aug. 10.	Am. Dr Lano's. acct.	1.	
C.P. Pelletier.	7557	" . " " .	" " .	Notice for Co Millet.	1.	
H.B.M. Vice Cons. et.	7558	" " " 12.	" 12.	Summons for Harbor Master.		
Capt. Fitzhugh.	7559	" " " "	" " .	Rewards for men.	2	
U.S. Legation.	7560	Peking. July. 31.	" " .	Habkins Claim advised.		
"	7561	" Aug. 1.	" " .	ack. dis. 634/5.		
U.S. Consul.	7562	Foochow. " 9.	" 13.	Statutes at Large.		
Commissioners Customs	7563	Shanghai. " 13.	" 14	Lost. W.N. Pelham (dec'd)		
Taotai.	7564	" " 12.	" " .	Wreck of "Harlan".		
" .	7565	" " " .	" " .	Religious Processions		
Williams & Co.	7566	Swatow. " 9.	" " .	Williams & Brady case.	12	
Thurn & Co	7567	New York. June 18.	" 15.	Scientific American sd.		
Capt. Nelson.	7568	Shanghai. Aug 15.	" " .	Note for "Annie S Hall"		

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Rev. Wm. Dr Rose.	7569	Soochow. Aug. 14.	Aug. 16.	Soochow. troubles.		
U.S. Consular Agt.	7570	Chefoo. " 12.	" ...	Ext. W.N. Balsam (clerk)	2.	
Taotai.	7571	Shanghai. " 14.	" ...	Desp 333.	2	
" .	7572	" " 15.	" ...	Am. Knights fire arms.		
" .	7573	" " " .	" ...	Desp 89.		
Capt. Fitzhugh.	7574	Shanghai. " 18.	" 18.	Report for Inquest on ch. W.H. Russell		
U.S. Consul	7575	Canton. July 30.	" " .	Ind. dis for Debt & Leg.	2	
Department of State	7576	Washington. June 4.	" 19.	Hospital money Sth Bar. Stn.	1.	
Lui Wanne.	7577	Norwalk. Conn. " 27.	" ...	Estate. A St. John (clerk)		
U.S. Consul.	7578	Newchwang. Aug. 13.	" ...	Absence from post -		
Amoi Schools.	7579	San Francisco June 26.	" ...	Ams. Mills affairs.	1.	
Victoria Dispensary	7580	Hong Kong. May 2.	" ...	Ext. W.C. Blanchard (clerk)	1.	
Mrs. L. M. Ward.	7581	New York " 6.	" ...	" L.J. Ward (clerk)		

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U.S. Consul.	7582	Nagasaki. aug 16.	Aug. 19.	Claims agst. b. McDonald.	3	
Sanitation.	7583	Washington. July 6.	" "	Dft. Jail & P/C. 1st 2a/78.		
Department of State.	7584	" June 25	" "	Ack. dis. 60/71.		
H.B.M. Vice Consul.	7585	Shanghai aug. 19.	" "	Inquest J. Augustus.		
P.O. Department.	7586	Washington. July 10.	" "	Letters via Yokohama.	5	
"	7587	" " 11.	" "	Postal guide 3d. Qr. 1878.	1.	
J.W. Noer & Co.	7588	San Francisco " 13.	" "	Dr. Masters letters.		
Williams & Co.	7589	Swatow. aug. 15.	" "	Williams & Bradley case.		
Taotai.	7590	Shanghai. " 18.	" 20.	Wreck of "Haidan"		
U.S. Consul.	7591	Hankow. " 14.	" "	Derrick vs. Jenkins.	1.	
"	7592	Amoy. " 14.	" 21.	Sund. dis. for Dft.	1.	
H.B.M. Legation	7593	Peking. " 8.	" 22.	Am. Bremen claims. commrs.	1.	
Taotai	7594	Shanghai. " 22	" "	Am. Olmais died.		

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a.a. Sirkin.	7595	Shanghai. Aug. 14,	Aug. 22.	Claim French Cct.		
Russell & Co.	7596	" " 21.	" 28	Desd. 39.		
Consul Hospital	7597	" " 26.	" 26.	Asking order for mem: "H.H. Russell"		
H.B.M. Ins. Sup. Ct. &c.	7598	" " "	" "	Noss. Pap. Seattle.		
G.B. Hopkins.	7599	" " "	" "	Bond confiscated Flour.		
U.S. Consul.	7600	Amoy. " 22.	" 27.	Bond Debt. dis. 186. for Debt.	1.	
G.B. Hopkins.	7601	Shanghai. " 27	" "	Bond for flour returned by Customs		
A. Malcolm.	7602	Hongkong " 22	" "	Malcolm vs. Hopkins.		
U.S.N. Consul.	7603	" " 20	" "	Disabl. resp. by Steward.	2	
W.H. Lapp.	7604	Shanghai. " 28.	" 28.	ack. marry of Wm. Smith		
U.S. Consul.	7605	Amoy. " 24.	" "	Distt. for Debt & Leg.	2.	
A. Md'. Oliveira.	7606	Shanghai. " 28.	" "	Registry of land.		
Capt. Percy.	7607	" " "	" "	Note for Bg: "Vesta"		

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Consul for Italy.	7608	Shanghai. Aug. 27.	Aug. 29.	Claims agst Mr. McDonald		
Harbor Master.	7609	" " 29.	" " .	Complaint " do.		
First Comptroller	7610	Washington July. 10.	" " .	Addt. asst. Clerkship.		
J. A. Shindell.	7611	" " 20	" " .	Request for Chinese P.O. Stamps.		
Admiral Pettigrew	7612	Yokohama. Aug. 16	" " .	Statement of "Lemuria"		
U.S. Consul General	7613	" " 21.	" " .	Ltr. Whatam "Paul Jones".	1	
Minister Holcombe.	7614	Peking. " 21.	" 30.	Sending Cheque for wages.	1.	
Dept. of State.	7615	Washington June 4.	" " .	Rect. Pub. Cir. No 22.		
Tantai.	7616	Shanghai Aug. 29.	" " .	Wreck of "Haitan."		
U.S. Legation	7617	Peking. " 20	" " .	Naturalization of Chinese.		
Minister Holcombe.	7618	" " 22	" " .	Rect. Circ. & misc Dft.	1.	
Tantai.	7619	Shanghai. " 30	" 31.	Imp. Rabbis. dtd 336.	2	
Consul General Yokohama	7620	" " 31.	" " .	Filling in mud in compound		

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U.S. Consul.	7621	Canton. Aug. 24.	Sept. 2.	Advt. to Williams Act. Interpr.		
Pantaz.	7622	Shanghai. Sept 1.	" "	Disd 39. murdered 341.	3.	
Lieut. Pittsburgh.	7623	" " 3.	" 3.	Leave for a week (Chefoo)		
Russell & Co.	7624	" " "	" "	Disd. 39. murdered 341.		
Lieut. Pittsburgh.	7625	Off. Woosung. " "	" 4.	Johnson's accot.	3.	
"Nanacacy".	7626	Yokohama. Aug. 22.	" 5.	H.A. Dälling case		
German Consul Genl	7627	Shanghai. Sept. 6.	" "	asking passport for a Mung.	1.	
"	7628	" " "	" "	Ack. his. about H.A. Dalling.		
Pantaz.	7629	" " 6.	" 6.	Returns office.		
H.B.M's. Acty. Consul	7630	Wuhu. " 4.	" "	Regarding. Lt. A. Smith.		
Dr. Anderson.	7631	Shanghai " 6.	" "	certificate Bill of Health.	1	
David H. Bailey.	7632	Hankow. July 25.	" "	notice of draft. & affd.		
U.S. Consul	7633	Swatow. Sept. 6.	" 9.	Lett. to Secretary.	2	

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Taotai.	7634	Shanghai. July 6.	July 9.	Proposed visit		
Lo. Johnson.	7635	" " 5.	" " .	Dispatches per "Manangahila"		
W. H. Lapp.	7636	" " 7.	" " .	Receipt for Howard's wages.		
Secty of State	7637	Washington " 6.	" 8.	Mr. Bailey to take charge		Telegram.
U. S. Consul	7638	Shanghai. " 8.	" 9.	S.S.N. Co's. Hospital dues.		
Taotai.	7639	" " "	" " .	Ord. 39. mm dud 341.		
U. S. Consul.	7640	Foochow. " 5.	" " .	Disturbance at Foochow.		
Shanghai S.N. Co	7641	Shanghai. " 9.	" " .	S.S.N. Co's Hospital dues.		
U. S. Consul.	7642	Canton. Aug. 31.	" 10.	Cond. No. 15, for Leg.	1.	
Chester Holcombe.	7643	Peking. July 4.	" " .	Cond. telegram for Mr. Evarts.	1	
Taotai.	7644	Shanghai. " 9.	" " .	Mr. Olivia's land.		
Portuguese Consul	7645	" " 11.	" 11.	Mr. da Silva assumes chg.		
Consul Gen. Japan	7646	" " 12	" 12.	Acks. Mr. Bailey in charge		

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German Consul General	7647	Shanghai. Sept. 12.	Sept. 12.	ack. note Am. Bailey take chg.		
Capt. Summer U.S.N.	7648	Nakahama. Aug. 31.	" "	Regarding B. Matthews.		
" Perkins "	7649	" Sept. 1.	" "	Rect. for rcg. letter.		
Ch. Chamber of Commerce.	7650	Shanghai. " 12.	" "	ack. note Am. Bailey take chg.		
U.S. Legation.	7651	Peking. " 5.	" 13.	ack. dis. 638/644.		
Consul for Netherlands.	7652	Shanghai. " 12.	" "	ack. note Am. Bailey take chg.		
" " Russia	7653	" " "	" "	" " " " " "		
Sch. Am. Council.	7654	" " 13.	" "	" " " " " "		
Italian Consul.	7655	" " "	" "	" " " " " "		
Austrian Consul.	7656	" " 12.	" 14.	" " " " " "		
Admiral Patterson.	7657	Nakahama. " 13.	" "	Send for "Palos" if required.		Telegram.
Am. Sup. Court.	7658	Shanghai. " 14.	" "	ack. note Am. Bailey take chg.		
W. Smith.	7659	Hankow. " 13.	" 15.	Claim for Pilot.		

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A. M. d' Oliveira.	7660	Shanghai. Sept. 14.	Sept. 16.	ask. act. Authentication dus. 342.		
Capt. Pilkington.	7661	Off Woosung. " 16.	" " .	man dead fell from mast.		
C. Kreb. U.S.M.C.	7662	" " " .	" " .	asking letter to be sent.	1.	
L. P. Knight.	7663	Shanghai. " 17.	" 17.	asking permit for arms &c.		
D. F. Swamby.	7664	" " 16.	" " .	Pursuant to Mr. Ward's letter	2	
U.S. Consul.	7665	Chinkiang. " " .	" " .	Encl. No. 99. & Pol. Dept.	3.	
Commis of Customs.	7666	Shanghai. " 17.	" 18.	Salaam Dept. allowance rent.	2	
Tientsin.	7667	" . " 18.	" 19.	Mr. Bailey's appointment.		
Vice Consul Bryant.	7668	Hankow. " 16.	" " .	Send letter for L. P. Knight.	1.	
D. A. Wise.	7669	Shanghai. " 19.	" " .	ask. permission to use embankment		to obtain flag staff
Tientsin.	7670	" " 18.	" 20.	ack. notice Mr. Bailey's appt.		
" .	7671	" " 19.	" " .	Will receive Mr. Bailey.		
U.S. Consul	7672	Foochow. " 16.	" 21.	cessation of Troubles.		

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U.S. Legation.	7673	Peking Sept. 6.	Sept. 23.	Claims French riots.		
"	7674	" " 10.	" "	Letter for Admiral Goodrich sent.	1	
State Department.	7675	Washington. July. 25.	" "	Mr. Bailey to take charge.		Do. Mr. Hart.
"	7676	" " 27.	" "	Will and Bishop's Imp procedure		" "
"	7677	" Aug 4.	" "	Ackg. 82/93.		" "
"	7678	" July. 25.	" "	Order to take charge below	1.	Do Mr. Bailey.
"	7679	" " 31	" "	Receipt of bond.		" " " "
Consul Swedish & Norway.	7680	Shanghai. Sept. 12.	" "	ack. note Mr. Bailey take chg.		
H. A. Branch.	7681	Brantford Can. July 26.	" "	asking information abt Shanghai.		
Otto Bartsch.	7682	Yokohama. Sept. 9.	" "	" letters for Chili Grande"		
U.S. Legation.	7683	Peking. " 12.	" "	affdt. Mr. William to Deutsch ages.	1	
Consul.	7684	Shanghai. " 21.	" "	To return Mr. Bailey visit.		
"	7685	" " "	" "	Permit for Mr. Knights arms.		

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U.S. Legation	7686	Peking. Sept. 18.	Sept. 23	Mr. Bailey's arrival.		
Taotai.	7687	Shanghai " 23.	" 24	Rec'd. 3 & 2.		
Geo. C. Bull.	7688	" " 26	" 26.	Capt. Sai "Yuh Lee"		
"	7689	" " 27	" 27	" "		
U.S. Consul.	7690	Ningpo " "	" 28	Ind trade rept.	1	
Admiral Bettesan.	7691	Yokohama. " 20.	" "	ack. dis & note Mr Bailey in chg.		
U.S. Consul.	7692.	Nagasaki. " 23.	" "	" Mr. Bailey taken chg.		
L. Brandon.	7693	Kiukiang. " 26.	" 30	Claim agst. G. McDonald		
E.G. Lapham.	7694	Shanghai. " 30	" "	affaires, Shaft. "B Cayman"		

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July 1.	11515	Fifth Auditor. Washington.	accts 2d. Quarter.	1.
" "	11516	State Department " "	" " "	2
" "	11514	Taotai. Shanghai.	Return of Vice Roy to office.	
" "	11518	U.S. Legation. Peking.	Forwarding return of letters rec'd & sent.	2.
" "	11519	Fifth Auditor. Washington.	Court acct.	1.
" 3	11520	Collector Port of San Francisco.	Triplicate invoices.	16.
" "	11521	Taotai. Shanghai.	asking passport. for (White's trunk)	
" 5	11522	Chairman. Municipal Council Shanghai.	Complaint against U.S. men of war men.	
" "	11523	Capt. Pitzhugh. USN. Shanghai.	Arrest of same men.	
" "	11524	" " " "	Disorderly seamen.	
" "	11525	" " " "	" " "	
" 6	11526	C.C. Williams Senator.	asking for full report of complaint.	
" "	11527	Capt. Pitzhugh USN. Shanghai.	Arrest of men of war men.	

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July 6.	11528	J. Allen & J.H. Flickinger. Ningpo.	Forwarding documents rec'd. from dead letter office.	1.
" "	11529	U.S. Legation. Peking.	to Mr. Williams care Legation.	
" 8	11530	U.S. Consul. Hankow.	ack. dis. for Dept. & Legation.	
" "	11531	Agt. P&O. Bay. Shanghai.	Tonnage dues mail stes.	
" "	11532	State. Dept. Washington.	Forwd. W.C. Blanchard's masonic certificates.	1.
" 9	11533	Agt. P&O. Bay. Shanghai.	Tonnage dues mail stes.	
" "	11534	U.S. Legation. Peking.	" " " "	
" 10	11535	Capt. Pitzhugh. U.S.V. Shanghai.	Arrest of two men.	
" "	11536	" " " "	" " and "	
" "	11537	Chairman Municipal Council Shanghai	Complaint Capt. McCaslin.	
" 11	11538	Capt. Pitzhugh U.S.V. Shanghai.	ack. dispatch regarding arrest of P. Carroll.	
" "	11539	U.S. Legation. Peking.	Naturalization of Chinese.	
" 12	11540	U.S. Vice Consul. Hong Kong.	ack. dis. 41. Hon. William Phillips	

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July 15	11541	Patrick & Carter. Philadelphia.	recommending J. O. Bishop.	1.
" "	11542	Capt. Summe. Yokohama.	Robt. Mayhead's claim.	3.
" "	11543	U.S. Consul. Foochow.	Ack. dis. for Leg + Ditt.	2
" "	11544	State Department. Washington.	Travelling expenses from Japan to Shanghai.	2
" "	11545	" "	Mrs. Eckfeldt's pardon.	1.
" 16	11546	" "	Asking surgical & medical report of wounded Customs	1
" "	11547	" "	Schr. "William Phillips"	
" 17	11548	U.S. Consul. Amoy.	Ack. 114.	
" "	11549	J.W. Miller Shanghai.	Ditt. 328.	1.
" "	11550	U.S. Consul Hankow.	Ltr. Derrick vs. Jenkins	1.
" "	11551	" Ningpo.	Letters for Collector San Francisco to be stamped.	
" "	11552	Harbor Master Shanghai.	Pilot Mrs. Donald's case.	
" 18	11553	J. Porter. "	Copy letter asking. whereabouts	1.

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July 18	11554	First Comptroller Washington.	Ack. dispatch adjustment of accts.	
" "	11555	D.D. Burdick. Oakland California	Regarding whereabouts of Wm. Barly.	
" 19	11556	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Sending men on board.	
" "	11557	W.D. Dabney. Charlottsville Virginia	Regarding J. Porter.	1.
" "	11558	U.S. Consul. Swatow.	Letter for Collector of San Francisco.	
" "	11559	Taotai. Shanghai.	Circ 39.	
" 20	11560	U.S. Consul Newchwang.	Ack. # 511. accts & returns.	
" "	11561	Fifth Auditor Washington.	Summ. unofficial Corr. 2d Quarter 1878.	1.
" 22	11562	Collector of Customs Newyork.	Triplicate invoices.	59.
" "	11563	" " " San Francisco.	" " "	18.
" 24	11564	Taotai Shanghai.	Embarcas. with stamp.	
" 25	11565	U.S. Consul. Amoy.	Ack. dispatches from Dept & Legation.	11
" 27	11566	Taotai Shanghai	Trans. Witness's Land	

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July 29	11567	U.S. Consul Tsoochau.	D. Noack's discharge	
" "	11568	Chairman Municipal Council Shanghai.	Asking census. 1877.	
" "	11569	President Tsungli Yamen. " " "	" " "	
" 30	11570	Consul for Spain " "	Death of Queen of Spain.	
" 31	11571	Taotai. Shanghai.	Books desd. No. 333.	5.
Aug 1.	11572	U.S. Consul Tsoochau	Statutes at large.	
" 2	11573	U.S. Legation Peking.	Williams & Co's case Swatau	
" "	11574	U.S. Consul Batavia.	Mr. Schillis case.	
" "	11575	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Inquiry about D. Kelly.	1.
" 3	11576	Taotai Shanghai	Mr. De Bare's case Soochau.	
" "	11577	U.S. Consul Tsoochau.	Lin Kin case Mr. Hunteman.	
" "	11578	Lin Kin. Soochau.	Claim against " "	
" 5	11579	Capt. Fitzhugh. Shanghai.	Arrest of seaman.	

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Aug 5	11580	Capt. Ship "Columbia" Shanghai.	Arrest of man.	
" "	11581	Am Consul Soochow	Soochow trouble	1.
" "	11582	State Department Washington.	Forwarding Mr Lewis application for position.	1.
" 6.	11583	Capt. Storr. Shanghai.	Arrest of seaman.	
" "	11584	U.S. Consul Hongkong.	No certificate of citizenship can be given.	
" "	11585	Tientsin Shanghai.	"Haikan" purchased by Mr. Hopkins.	
" "	11586	Am. Consul Yokohama.	Property stolen from "Tsinanfu" at Amoy.	
" 7	11587	Collector of Customs San Francisco	Triplicate Invoices.	26.
" "	11588	Tientsin Shanghai.	Pawkong ~~&~~ Clothing case.	
" 8	11589	Capt Storr. Shanghai.	Arrest of one man.	
" "	11590	A. Malcolm. Hongkong.	Malcolm vs Jenkins #653	1.
" "	11591	Tientsin. Shanghai.	Thanking him for Mr. Dubois card.	
" "	11592	Mr. Dubois. Soochow.	Soochow trouble.	1.

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Aug. 9	11593	Capt. Lunnon. Yokohama.	Regarding H. A. Söfling.	
" "	11594	Consul Shanghai.	Religious processions.	
" 10	11595	" "	Paukong & Bluthun case.	
" "	11596	Netherlands. Consul Shanghai.	Asking what "Immocacy" is.	
" "	11597	Sub. Consul Shanghai.	Asking for witness	#2.
" "	11598	Act. Consul Gen. for France Shanghai.	notice to serve on E. Millet.	1
" 12	11599	Consul Shanghai.	Pass. for Knights cases guns.	
" "	11600	G. B. Hopkins. Shanghai	"Harbour" case. (Slaves)	
" 13	11601	J. H. Hart - Commis of customs.	W. M. Talsami death.	
" "	11602	Consul Shanghai.	Religious processions.	
" 14	11603	Acting. Master Shanghai.	Cameron vs. Slave.	
" "	11604	Consul Shanghai.	"Harbour" wreck.	
" 16	11605	" "	Am. Claims due.	

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Aug	16	11606	M.D. Legation Peking.	Mess. Williams & Co's case Swatow.	1
"	"	11607	M.D. Consul. Lintsin.	" " " " " Mahsee	1.
"	"	11608	Taotai Shanghai.	Pass. for Mr. Knight's arms.	
"	"	11609	Lt Comd Green "Palos" Lintsin.	Sending registered letter.	1.
"	"	11610	Knight & Co. Newchwang.	Permit for arms.	
"	18	11611	Capt. Pitblado. Shanghai.	Asking for boat to view body "W.H. Berri"	
"	19	11612	H.B.M's. Actg. Consul .. .	Inquest Dispatches. Enquiries.	
"	20	11612a	Monroe & Co New York.	Ext. part editorial Scientific American	
"	"	11613	Williams & Co Swatow.	Ack. W & Co's. case Swatow.	
"	"	11614	Taotai Shanghai.	Wreck of "Hailan"	
"	"	11615	M.D. Consular Agent - Chefoo .	Cert. W.D. Galsam.	
"	"	11616	Victoria Dispensary Hongkong.	Cert. W.C. Blanchard.	
"	"	11617	Capt. Perkins. Yokohama.	Sending reg. letter.	1.

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Aug. 20	11618	U.S. Consul Newchwang.	Ack. 526 & noting request.	
" "	11619	U.S. Consul Nagasaki.	Claims agst. McDonald.	
" 21	11620	" Hankow.	Quick vs. Jenkins.	1
" "	11621	Asst. Supt. Un. Police Hongkew.	asking assistance to put seamen on board Ship.	
" 22	11622	" " " " " "	Thanks. for " " " " " "	
" "	11623	Asst. of State Washington.	Malcolm vs Jenkins.	3.
" "	11624	Supt. Pilotage. Shanghai.	Arrest of seaman.	
" "	11625	Asst. of State Washington.	U.S. vs. Palsons death.	
" "	11626	" " " "	Contains return of trade 1877.	1.
" "	11627	" " " "	Regt. dis. 18.19.	
" "	11628	Annie Schiff. San Francisco.	Remitting balance of funds.	2.
" "	11629	Captain Shanghai.	Ord. 39.	5.
" "	11630.	Duran & Co. Shanghai	Sending Keys. Palsons house	6.

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Aug	22	11631	Mrs. G. W. Ward New York	Claim Estate Genl. G. G. Ward.	
"	"	11632	Capt. Lemmon. Oceanic Yokohama	Inquiry about J. Riley ex B. Matthews.	
"	"	11633	Collector of Customs New York.	Triplicate Invoices.	43
"	"	11634	" " " San Francisco.	" "	31
"	"	11635	Consul and Treas. Dept. Washington	R. Mayhead's pass.	1.
"	24	11636	Consul Shanghai.	Act. of Authorization Desp. 342	1.
"	"	11637	" "	Desp 336. to be cancelled.	2.
"	"	11638	U.S. Legation Peking.	Claims French. ret.	2.
"	"	11639	" " "	Ack. two Commissions	2.
"	26	11640	" " "	Bond Halpin Siam case.	
"	27	11641	W. H. Talpp. Shanghai.	Discharge of seamen.	1.
"	"	11642	U.S. Legation Peking -	asking information Trade. rept.	
"	28	11643	" "	Halpin bond. Siam case. ret.	

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Aug.	28.	11644	U.S. Legation Peking.	Claims French riot.	
"	"	11645	U.S.N. Consul Hongkong.	ack. money discharge S. Harvard	
"	"	11646	U.S. Consul General. Japan.	S. Yanki's money.	1.
"	"	11647	Supt. of Police Shanghai.	Recommending S. Harvard.	
"	"	11648	A. Malcolm. Hongkong.	Malcolm vs Jenkins.	
"	"	11649	A. M. D'Oliveira Shanghai.	Registry of land.	
"	30	11650	Taotai Shanghai.	Wreck of "Hailan"	
"	31	11651	Taotai Shanghai.	Mrs. Whitmarsh land.	
Sept	2	11652	U.S. Consul General. Japan.	Disch. Wheaton "Paul Jones"	1.
"	"	11653	U.S. Consul Canton.	Asst. Dr. C.C. Williams Consular Agt. Swatow	1.
"	"	11654	Dept. of State. Washington.	" " " " " "	1.
"	"	11655	Capt. Pittsburgh. U.S.S. Shanghai.	Arrest of Seamen.	
"	"	11656	Taotai Shanghai.	Ord 39. amended 341.	

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Sept	2	11657	Capt. Wiggan. Shanghai.	Arrest of seaman.	
"	"	11658	Russell & Co. Shanghai	Bond 39.. new bond 341.	
"	3	11659	Pay Insptr Thornton. Yokohama	Status of property "Tennessee" effects.	
"	"	11660	Admiral Pelham "	" " " "	
"	"	11661	U.S. Legation Peking.	Wm. Williams appt, to Nagasaki.	4.
"	"	11662	Wms. & Howard. Yokohama.	Draft of Letter Nos. Sec.	6.
"	"	11663	U.S. Legation Peking.	Ack. Dispatch 130.	
"	"	11664	U.S. Consul. Canton.	Wm. Williams appt. to Nagasaki.	1.
"	"	11665	W. & Schf. Shanghai	Discharge of G. Howard	1.
"	4	11666	U.S. Consul. Ningpo.	Estate of C. C. Webster.	2.
"	"	11667	Dr. Little Shanghai.	Beckman in Hospital.	
"	5	11668	Harbormaster "	Pilot Wms. Howard.	
"	"	11669	German Consul Genl. Shanghai	U.S. Shipping on Norwegian.	1

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Sept.	6.	11670	Taotai. Shanghai.	Notice of Appt.	
"	"	11671	U.S. Dis. Consul. Wuhu.	Regarding L.A. Smith.	
"	4	11672	Jessup. St. John. Norwalk. Conn.	Cert. of A. St. John.	2.
"	"	11673	Hon. Jno L. Blanchard. Lowell.	" W. L. Blanchard.	
"	"	11674	Pres. Hosp. Co in liquidation Shanghai.	Hospital many an sale of Steamer.	
"	"	11675	U.S. Consul Nanking.	Estate of L. L. Yohnstan.	2.
"	"	11676	S.V. Assembly. Shanghai.	" S.V. Ward.	1.
"	"	11677	Taotai "	Will receive visit.	
"	"	11678	L. Johnson. Hospital Shanghai.	His accts. with "Nanangahela"	
"	9	11679	U.S. Legation Peking.	Hon. Bailey's arrival.	
"	"	11680	State Department - Washington.	Telegram. Hon. Bailey's appointment.	
"	"	11681	Taotai. Shanghai.	Hon. Bailey's Appt as Vice Consul General.	
"	"	11682	Capt. Pitzhugh. Saddle Islands.	Result of Voyage.	

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July. 10	11683	Dr. Edmans. Peking.	Forwarding accounts.	1.
" "	11684	Chester Holcombe. Peking.	" " .	1.
" "	11685	Rear Admiral Patterson Yokohama.	Riot at Foochow.	1.
" "	11686	U.S. Consul. Canton.	Mr. Bailey takes charge. on. 16th.	
"	11687	" Hongkong.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11688	" Amoy.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11689	" Foochow.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11690	" Ningpo.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11691	" Chinkiang.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11692	" Hankow.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11693	" Tientsin.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11694	" Newchwang.	" " " " " " "	
" "	11695	Consul Gen. Russia.	" " " " " " "	

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July 10	11696	Consul General for Russia.	Mr. Bailey takes charge on 16th inst.	
" "	11697	" " " France.	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11698	" " " England	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11699	Consul for Spain.	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11700	Consul General for Austria	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11701	Consul for Belgium.	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11702	Consul General for Germany	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11703	" for Italy.	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11704	" " The Netherlands.	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11705	" General for Japan.	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11706	" " for Sweden & Norway	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11707	Judge French. U.S. Mis. Inst. et.	" " " " " " " "	
" "	11708	" Stewart " " " "	" " " " " " " "	

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Sept. 10	11709	Commis of Customs Shanghai.	Wm. Bailey takes charge on 16th.	
" "	11710	Ch. Chamber of Commerce " .	" " " " " " .	
" "	11711	A.D. Pattuson Yokohama.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11712	U.S Legation Tokio.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11713	U.S. Consul General Kanagawa.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11714	U.S. Consul. Osaka & Hiogo.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11715	" " Nagasaki.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11716	Taotai Shanghai.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11717	Collects. of Customs S. Francisco.	Triplicate Invoices.	34.
" "	11718	Capt. Polyhugh. Shanghai.	Wm. Bailey takes charge on 16th inst.	
" "	11719	U.S. Consul Foochow.	Regarding riot.	
" "	11720	Consul Ian. Italy.	Wm. Bailey takes charge on 16th. inst.	
" 12	11721	Consul " Portugal.	Notifies that he assumes charge.	

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Sept	12	11722	Consul for Portugal Shanghai.	Mr. Bailey takes charge on 16th.	
"	"	11723	Ch. M. Council " "	" " " " " "	
"	"	11724	Consul for Denmark " "	" " " " " "	
"	13	11725	Mrs. M. A. Matthews Sydney.	Regarding her son.	1.
"	"	11726	Capt. Lemmon U.S.V. Nakahama.	Ack. letter about Mrs. Matthews son.	
"	"	11727	Taotai Shanghai.	Clerk's deed 342.	
"	"	11728	Department of State Washington.	Rect. monies paid Mr. Bailey.	1
"	"	11729	Secty. of Treasury " "	" " " " " "	1
"	16	11730	Department of State " "	Transfer of office to Mr. Bailey.	1
"	"	11731	1st Auditor Treasury " "	Accts & returns.	8.
"	"	11732	" " " " "	Count & Jail acct.	1.
"	"	11733	Taotai Shanghai.	Act of Authentication Deed 342	1.
"	"	11734.	W. Smith. Hankow.	Claim French rict.	

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Sept 16	11735	Capt. Fitzhugh U.S. Off Woosung.	Journal of cruise.	
" "	11736	U.S. Legation Peking.	Wm. Bailey takes charge today.	
" "	11737	U.S. Consul Tientsin.	" " " " " "	
" "	11738	" Newchwang.	" " " " " "	
" "	11739	" Chinkiang.	" " " " " "	
" "	11740	" Hankow.	" " " " " "	
" "	11741	" Ningpo.	" " " " " "	
" "	11742	" Foochow.	" " " " " "	
" "	11743	" Amoy.	" " " " " "	
" "	11744	" Canton.	" " " " " "	
" "	11745	" Hong Kong.	" " " " " "	
" "	11746	U.S. Legation Yokio.	" " " " " "	
" "	11747	U.S. Consul. Nagasaki.	" " " " " "	

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Sept 16	11748	U.S. Consul. Osaka.	Mr. Bailey takes charge to day.	
" "	11749	U.S. Consul Consul. Kanagawa.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11750	" Hakodate.	" " " " " " .	
" "	11751	Capt. Sands. Shanghai.	Arrest of seaman.	
" 17	11752	A. M. Lockard. Chefoo.	Returning dispatch No. 294.	1.
" 17	11753	Mrs. G. M. Ward. New York.	Mr. Swanbeck arrives. Lt. G. F. Ward (dec'd)	1.
" "	11754	J. F. Swanbeck. Shanghai.	Reply. Lt. G. F. Ward (dec'd)	
" "	11755	Taotai. Shanghai.	Permit lay arms. Knight & Co.	
" 18	11756	Commis of Customs Shanghai.	Estate W. N. Talcam (dec'd)	
" "	11757	J. P. Knight Shanghai.	Permit lay arms.	
" "	11758	Taotai. Shanghai.	Mr. Bailey took charge 16th.	
" 19	11759	Capt. Fitzhugh. U.S.S. Off Woosung.	C. Johnsons ale vito.	4.
" 20	11760	U.S. Consul. Tientsin	Estate Talcam (dec'd) inquires about passage ticket	

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18th.	21	11761	U.S. Consul Foochow.	Ack. 116. Translations.	
"	25	11762	Chas. A Speare. Bramhall. Penn.	Answering about Shanghai.	
"	"	11763	U.S. Legation. Peking.	Ack. 134. Mr. Williams Secretary.	
"	24	11764	" " "	Foochow Troubles.	
"	"	11765	" " "	Mr. Bailey's name & signature.	1.
"	25	11766	A.D. Pattison. Yokohama.	Foochow. dispatch. Foochow disturbances/ U.S. Legation	1.
"	"	11767	J.H. Blackham. Washington.	Post office acct. Gen. Statist.	3.
"	"	11768	State Department. " "	Mr. Bailey. takes charge.	1.
"	"	11769	U.S. Legation. Peking.	Mr. Bailey's Chinese name.	1.
"	26	11770	Symes & Bayliss. Shanghai.	Permit Knight & Co's arms.	
"	27	11771	U.S. Legation Peking.	Ack. rect. 132. French riot.	
"	"	11772	Wm. Smith. Hankow.	To bring claim French. riot.	
"	"	11773	C. D. Ashley. Shanghai.	" " " " "	

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Sept. 27	11444	F. C. Haskell. Shanghai.	To prove claim French riot.	
" "	11445	Y. J. Allen. " .	" " " " " "	
" "	11446	Sallie Solack. Hong Kong.	" " " " " "	
" "	11447	A. A. Fisher. Shanghai.	" " " " " "	
" 28	11448	U.S. Consul. Ningpo.	Ack. dis. 136. for Dept. Trade rept.	1.
" "	11449	Dept of State. Washington.	Ack. dis no. 1.	
" "	11480	" " "	" " " 2122. to Dept. State.	
" "	11781	" " "	" " " 3.	
" "	11782	" " "	Forwarding inventory & Form. 5.	
" 30	11783	L. Brandau. Kin Kiang.	Claim acpt b. Mc. Donald.	
" "	11784	State Department. Washington.	Death of D. Symons.	
" "	11785	do do.	do. do Vous. Cert.	

U.S. Consulate General
Shanghai China

Inclosure No 3
with dispatch No 11

Department of State.

(Form No. 121.)

NAMES of all Deceased American Citizens, including Seamen or Mariners, together with the value of the personal effects belonging to them, and taken possession of by or deposited with David A. Bailey.
U. S. Consul at Shanghai, from 1st. July to 30th. Sept. 1878, inclusive.

DATE OF DECEASE.	NAMES OF PERSONS.	OF WHAT PLACE A NATIVE OR RESIDENT.	IF A SEAMAN, TO WHAT VESSEL BELONGING.	WHERE DECEASED.	VALUE OF EFFECTS.	DISPOSITION MADE THEREOF.
8.	Wm. N. Folsom.	Portsmouth N.H.	—	Ichefoo.	600.	Pending.
19.	Wm. Hart.	Shanghai.		Shanghai.	15.	"
11.	John. Symons.	Baltimore		"	16874	

L.S.O.L.
Shanghai. Sept. 30th. 1878.

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David A. Bailey
U. S. Consul.

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U.S. Consulate General
Shanghai - China
Inclosure No. 5.
With dispatch No. 11.
Department of State.

Mr. Wood.

No. 13] Oct. 11th 1878 General United States Consulate at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Forwds Court proceedings for fractional quarter ending Sept 30th 1878

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No. 12

United States Consulate, General,

Shanghai, Oct 11th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Asst. Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith reports of the proceedings in the Court of this Consulate General for the fractional quarter commencing Sept. 16th and ending Sept 30th 1878

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Frank H. Hall

Vice Consul General

RETURN OF ~~CRIMINAL~~ Police CASES HEARD IN THE COUR

From the First of July

DATE OF FIRST PROCEEDINGS.	NAME OF PRISONER.	CHARGE.	BY WHOM B
July 4th	Henry Lahey	Drunk and Assault	M. Po
" 5	A. Brown	" "	"
" 5	P. Gillespie	" "	"
" 5	M. Macaulty	" "	"
" 10	Frank Brown	" "	"
" 10	L. D. Ross	" "	"
" 10	Patrick Carroll	" "	"
" 15	C. Brinton	" "	"
" 15	H. Hahnum	" "	"
Aug. 5	Sammy Clear	" "	"
" 5	W. Jennings	" "	"
" 6	G. D. Ross	" "	"
" 12	Sammy Lloyd	" "	"
" 19	L. Haff	" "	
" 22	A. Rind	" "	
Sept. 2	L. Haff	" "	
" 2	L. Riley	" "	

THE COURT OF THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE GENERAL, AT SHANGHAI, CHINA.

July to the Thirtieth day of September 1878, inclusive.

BY WHOM BROUGHT.	JUDGMENT.	AMOUNT OF FINES IMPOSED.	AMOUNT OF FEES CHARGED AND RECEIVED.	DISPOSITION OF FINES AND FEES.
M. Police	Guilty			Seaman U.S.S. Monongahela
"	"			"
"	"			"
"	"			"
"	"			"
"	"			"
"	"			"
"	"			"
"	"	$3-		To United States
"	"			Seaman U.S.S. Monongahela
"	"	2-		" " "
"	"			"
"	"			"
"	"	1-	2-	$1 to US. 2 to Marshal
"	"			Seaman U.S.S. Monongahela
"	"	2		To the United States
"	"			Seaman U.S.S Monongahela
		$7-	2-	

E. & O. E

Shanghai Sept. 30th 1878

D. R. Rogers

acting U.S. Marshal

Affirmed

Saml. A. Hall

United States Vice Consul General

TATES CONSULATE GENERAL, AT SHANGHAI, CHINA.

day of 187 , inclusive.

ENT.	AMOUNT OF FINES IMPOSED.	AMOUNT OF FEES CHARGED AND RECEIVED.	DISPOSITION OF FINES AND FEES.
U.S. Consulate General Shanghai - China Enclosure No. 1. With dispatch No. 12. Department of State			

COURT OF THE UNITED

Return of Civil ***Suits from the*** First

O OF CASE.	DATE OF FIRST PROCEEDINGS.	NAME AND NATIONALITY OF PLAINTIFF.	NAME OF DEFENDANT.
697	July 15.	W. Brun Lyman.	D. McDonald.
698	" 31.	W. Cameron. British.	Dna. A. Stone.
699	Aug. 12.	In Re Estate W. N. Folsom dec'd.	
700	" 26.	" " " Voss Fox " "	
701	" 31	B. N. Hurstis. Amer.	W. Blanchard. et al.
702.	Sept. 11.	In Re. Estate John Symons dec'd.	

[Form No. 137.]

URT OF THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE GENERA

ossil. *Suits from the* 1st *day of* July. *to the* Thi

NALITY IFF.	NAME OF DEFENDANT.	NATURE OF SUIT	JUDGMENT	AMOUNT O IMPOSE
uman.	to. Mc. Donald.	Contract.	Settled out of court no	
British.	Ina. A. Stone.	"	For Defendant	
te W. M. Folsom dec'd.		Probate	Pending.	
Voss & Fox " "		"	" "	
. Amen. W. Blanchard. et al.		Damages.	Settled out of court a	
te John Symons dec'd.		Probate.	Pending.	

E. & O. E.
Shanghai. Sept. 30th
R. P. Lewis.
act U. S. Ma
Approved.
Smith
United States Vice

ERAL AT SHANGHAI CHINA.

Thirtieth day of September 1878, inclusive.

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No. 13] October 15th 1878 United States Consulate at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Departure of Messrs. Lewis & Coffey

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

The subpoenas for Messrs Lewis & Coffey - Leave of absence granted them under protest - The Consulate General left without a single subordinate officer of Legation -

No. 13

United States Consulate, General,

Shanghai, October 15th 1878

Hon. The Honorable Wm. Evarts

Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch No 5, bearing date August 8th, transmitting to me three packages from the Honorable Wm. M. Springer, Chairman of the Committee of the House of Representatives on Expenditures of the Department of State, addressed respectively to B. R. Lewis Esquire, J. J. Coffey Esquire, and myself. Those to messrs Lewis and Coffey

containing subpoenas requiring their attendance at Washington.

I have furnished Mr. Lewis and Mr. Coffey, each, with a letter, copies of which are enclosed, wherein it is pointed out to them the great embarrassment which will occur to this Consulate General should they leave their posts at this juncture; that as they are the only experienced officers in the Consulate at present their going away now will be very detrimental to the public service here. And I have also drawn their attention to that clause in Mr. Springer's letter addressed to me, in which

he seems to contemplate the contingency of their not being able to go to Washington in consequence, as I infer, of paramount public duties here.

In accordance with your instructions I have granted them leave of absence to obey the subpoenas, but in doing this I have to explained to them the situation here, and they fully understand it, as to make it a subject for serious consideration by the Department whether or not they are justified in leaving their posts at a period so critical & this very important

Consulate

I do not need to inform you that with all the multiform duties and responsibilities of this Consulate General now devolved upon me, I have, by the departure of Messrs. Lewis and Coffey, not one trained officer to assist me in the conduct of affairs

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

David H. Bailey

Sir Consul General

Inclosures

Letter from Mr. Baily to Mr. Lewis

" " " " " Mr. Coffey

" " Mr. Springer to Mr. Baily

" " Mr. Lewis to Mr. Baily

" " " Coffey " " "

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" " " Lewis " " "

/Copy/

United States Consulate General
Shanghai Oct. 4th 1878

Briggs R. Lewis Esq

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of yesterdays date asking for leave of absence, to enable you to obey a subpoena, issued by the Honorable Samuel J. Randall, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Commanding you to appear at Washington before the Committee on Expenditures in the State Department. I am authorized by the Secretary of State to grant you the leave, but in doing so, I must call your attention to the fact that your absence from your post, at this juncture, will greatly embarrass the business of this consulate General, for the reason, that as you are trained to, and familiar with the public service here, and as it is impossible to procure an experienced person to take your place, within the time named, and as the only other practical officer in the consulate is also subpoened in like manner as yourself, and has likewise applied for leave of absence, the departure of both, as you can readily see, will be very detrimental to the public service at this post.

I need not remind you of the extensive American interests at this port, of the large business, judicial and otherwise, transacted daily at this Consulate, of its important relations with the other consulates in China, for, though years of experience, you are familiar with these things. I would also call your attention to the fact that the letter addressed to me by the Honorable Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Springer, (a copy of which I enclose) contemplates the contingency of your not being able to attend at Washington, in consequence of your leave conflicting with the interests of the public service here. If, in view of these facts, you decide to go to Washington, it is at your option to do so, and I hereby grant you the necessary leave of absence to enable you to obey the subpoena.

I am, Sir.

Your obedient Servant

(Sgd) David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General

(Copy)

United States Consulate General
Shanghai Oct. 4th 1878

S. L. Coffey Esq.

Sir.

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of yesterday's date, asking for leave of absence, to enable you to obey a subpoena, issued by the Honorable Samuel J. Randall. Speaker of the House of Representatives, commanding you to appear at Washington before the Committee on Expenditures in the State Department. I am authorized by the Secretary of State to grant you the leave, but in doing so, I must call your attention to the fact that your absence from your post at this juncture, will greatly embarrass the business of this Consulate General, for the reason that, as you are trained to, and familiar with the public service here, and, as it is impossible to procure an experienced person to take your place, within the time named, and as the only other practical officer in the Consulate is also subpoened in like manner as yourself, and has likewise asked for leave of absence, the departure of both, as you can readily see, will be very

very detrimental to the public service at this post. I need not remind you of the extensive American interests at this port of the large business, judicial and otherwise, transacted daily at this Consulate, of its important relations with the other consulates in China, for through years of experience here, you are familiar with these things. I would, also, call Your attention to the fact that the letter addressed to you by the Honorable Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Springer, a copy of which I enclose, contemplates the contingency of your not being able to attend at Washington in consequence of your leave conflicting with the interests of the public service here. If, in view of these facts, You decide to go to Washington, it is at your option to do so, and I hereby grant you the necessary leave of absence to enable you to obey the Subpoena.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

(Signed) David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General

Copy

United States Consulate General
Shanghai October 11th 1878

David H Bailey Esq.
U.S. Vice Consul General
Shanghai

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No 11802. in which you grant me leave of absence to obey a subpoena from the Committee on Expenditures at Washington on the 20th day of November 1878. In reply I would state that I have secured my passage on the Mail Steamer leaving this port on the 15th instant. and would therefore respectfully request you. to hand to me the Draft. alluded to in the Hon. Wm. M. Springer's communication to me. Herewith find original & duplicate receipts for Draft.

I have the honor to be Sir.
Your obedient Servant
(Sgd) J. J. Coffey

Copy

United States Consulate General
Shanghai Oct. 2nd 1878

David H Bailey Esq.
US Vice Consul General
Shanghai

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt, through you, on the 2nd inst. of a copy of a Subpoena signed by John G. Thompson, Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives Washington dated July 30th 1878. in which I am summoned to appear before a Committee and "testify "to certain matters touching the "official Conduct and transactions "of George F. Seward & C.B. "Bradford." To enable me to comply with said Subpoena, I respectfully ask, if you will be good enough to grant me the necessary leave of absence from my duties in this Consulate General until I am discharged by the said Committee and return immediately to Shanghai to resume duties.

I am
Sir
Your obedient Servant
E. L. Coffey

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Enclosure No. 5

With dispatch No. 13

State Department

Copy Letter Mr Coffing to
Mr Parker

Copy/

Shanghai Oct. 3rd 1878

David H Bailey Esq
U.S. Vice Consul General
Shanghai China

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of a subpoena from the House of Representatives by your hands on the 2nd inst. requiring my attendance before the Committee of Expenditures in the State Department, "to give evidence relating to the official conduct and transactions of George A. Seward and O.B. Bradford &c." To enable me to comply with this order it will be necessary for me to leave here in the mail of the 16th instant. I therefore respectfully request that you will kindly grant me leave of absence until discharged by the Committee and return to Shanghai to resume my duties.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
B.R. Lewis

Shanghai – Lewis

Enclosure No. 4

With dispatch No. 13

State Department

Copy – Letter from Mr Lewis
to J. V. Davis

Copy

House of Representatives
Washington D.C. July 30th 1878

David H. Bailey Esq.
U.S. vice consul General
Shanghai China.

Sir

Enclosed find two drafts for
$100. each on the Treasury of the
United States which are forwarded
to you for the following purpose. The
committee on expenditures in the
State Department investigating the
charges against the the official
conduct of Georgy E. Seward and
C.B. Bradford have caused subpoenas
to be issued to B.R. Lewis and J.J. Coffin
requiring their presence in the City
of Washington on the 20th of November
1878. Having been informed by
Mr Lewis that he would require
a sufficient amount to pay
his expenses to Washington I have
caused these drafts to be forwarded
to you. You will pay the amount
of one of these drafts to Mr Lewis
and of the other to Mr. Coffin upon
their sailing for the United States
in answer to subpoenas which have
been forwarded to them. In case either or both
of them cannot come to the United
States in answer to these subpoenas
you will send one or both of
these drafts back to me. I have
requested the Department
to grant Messrs Lewis and Coffin

leaves of absence and passes
that they have been granted and
that you have been informed
thereof by the State Department.

I have the honor to be very
Respectfully
Your obedient Servant
(Signed) Wm M Springer
Chairman

Copy

Shanghai 11th Oct. 1878

David N. Bailey Esq.
U.S. Vice Consul General
Shanghai

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch of the 4th inst. granting me leave of absence to enable me to obey a subpoena commanding me to appear before the Committee on Expenditures in the State Department, and in reply I beg to inform you that I shall sail in the mail of the 15th inst. To enable me to obtain my Tickets I have to request that you will pay me the moneys in your hands for that purpose. a receipt for which I respectfully hand herewith in duplicate

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

(Sigd) P.R. Lewis

Mr. Clements

General

No. 14 Oct. 26th 1878. United States Consulate at Shanghai,

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Mr. Bailey Consul General to the State Department,

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Subject:— approval of Mr Consul Hendersons items 7. 8. and 9. Mis. Expenditures 3rd qr. 1878

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Referring to approval of items 7. 8. and 9. in Mr. Consul Hendersons Miscellaneous Expenses &c third quarter 1878.

No. 14

United States Consulate, General,

Shanghai, Oct. 25th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Asst Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Referring to Mr. Consul Henderson's dispatch No. 189. of the 9th instant, I have the honor to report that items 7. 8. and 9. in his miscellaneous account for the third quarter of 1878. have been approved by me as proper Expenditures in accordance with paragraph 381. Consular Regulations 1874.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

David H. Bail

Vice Consul General

Ack & publish

w/ Enclosure

No. 15] Oct. 26 to 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General to the State Department,

Subject:— Death of Miss Lydia Mary Fay.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Death at Chefoo Oct. 5th 1878

Her work in China - and Character

established, Residence of friends and

her Estate.

Enclosed
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No. 15

United States Consulate, General,

Shanghai, Oct 26th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Asst Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I regret to have to inform the Department of the death, on the 5th instant, at Chefoo, of Miss Lydia Mary Fay of Shanghai, an American Lady who has been engaged in the Missionary work in China, in connection with the Episcopal Mission, for a period of nearly 30 years. She had undoubtedly accomplished a very considerable work, and had established

a good name throughout China. and was universally beloved by both Natives and foreigners. Her residence in America was at Albany N.York. She leaves something of an Estate, which will be duly ascertained and reported on.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your Obedient Servant

Saml H. Speil

Vice Consul General

Memo: It is supposed that the deceased has relatives residing in or near Baltimore Maryland, and at Utica N.York.

Mr. Comments.

Has Marshal been appointed?

C. P.

No. 16] Oct. 28th 187 8 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

appointment of Marshal at Tientsin and the sureties on the official bond of the Marshal.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Refering to Mr. Consul Bunny's despatch No 18 and approving the appointment and the sureties as good and sufficient.

No. 16

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Oct. 28th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Referring to Mr. Consul Jenny's dispatch No. 18. on the subject of a marshal, I have the honor to report, at his request, that I have made due inquiry as to the applicants thereto named, and as to the sureties on his official bond, and am of the opinion that the appointment is a proper one, and that the sureties are good and sufficient.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your obedient Servant

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General

Ack'd Dec 7th 1878 Wm Clemmits

No. 17] Oct 30th 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Vice Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of dispatch No. 2.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

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Acknowledges receipt of dispatch No 2 with enclosure from the Treasury Department

No. 17

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Oct 30th 1878

Honorable W. Hunter

Second Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch No. 2., dated July 29th 1878, enclosing a copy of a letter of the 18th of July, from the Secretary of the Treasury, relating to the exportation of Kerosene oil.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Emil Hegair

Vice Consul General

Ack^d. Dec 7^th 1878 Mr. Comments

No. 18] Oct. 30th 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of Dispt. Separate Circular of Aug 21st 1878

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledges receipt of Separate Circular dated Aug. 21st 1878 And invites attention to this Consulate General dispatch No. 9. dated Oct. 2nd 1878.

No. 18

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Oct. 30th 1878.

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Department-Circular, dated August 21st 1878, relating to information requested by the Secretary of the Treasury for the official use of the Surgeon General of the Marine Service.

I would respectfully invite Your attention to my despatch No. 9. dated Oct. 2nd 1878 upon this subject.

I have the honor to be,

Sir.

Your Obedient Servant

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General

Mr. Clements.

No. 19] Oct 30th 187 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of dispatch No. 6.

Rec'd Jan 18. 79

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledging the receipt of Department dispatch No. 6. dated September 9th 1878

No. 19

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Oct 30th 1878

Hon. W. Hunter

Second Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch No. 6, dated September 9th 1878, relating to my Telegram to the Department of the 6th of the same Month.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

Daniel H. Pratt

Vice Consul General

Mr Clement

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No. 20 Oct 30th 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Jr. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Swatow Consulate

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits Mr. Consul Lucius No. 56. and remarks that he does not concur in the recommendation therein made.

Inclosures.

1— Mr Consul Lucius No. 56.

No. 20.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Oct 30 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith Mr. Consul Smith's despatch No. 56, with the enclosures therein named.

I am asked to support that part of his despatch which recommends the appointment of a Consul at Swatow with a salary of one thousand dollars per annum and exemption to trade.

The suggestion

of Mr. Lincoln is not without some force, but I do not concur in the propriety of such a change at this juncture.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant
David H. Bailey
Vice Consul General

Mr Clements

Answer 9.c

No. 21. Oct 30th 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General at Foochow to the State Department,

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Subject:— Transmitting Sealed cover from Consulate at Foochow.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits Sealed cover from Foochow. and inquires if it comes within meaning of Par: No 40. Consular Regulations 1874.

Inclosure

No. 1 under Seal.

No. 21.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai Oct 30th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith a cover, under-seal, from the Consulate at Foochow, and beg to enquire if it comes within the meaning of Paragraph No. 40, Consular Regulations 1874.

I have the honor to be,

Sir:

Your obedient Servant

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General

Copy to Mr. Springer
Dec. 19. 1878. mr wood

No. 22] Oct. 30 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General to the State Department,

Subject:— Subpoena duces tecum as to Messrs. Seward and Bradford's bank acts.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledges receipt of State Dept. No. 4. Transmitting subpoena of House of Representatives relating to Messrs. Seward and Bradford's bank accounts, and reports action thereon.

Inclosures.

No. 1. Mr. Bailey's letter to Mr. Waller.

No. 2. Mr. Bailey's letter to M. Vouillemont.

No. 3. Mr. Waller's letter to Mr. Bailey

No. 4. M. Vouillemont's letter to Mr. Bailey.

No. 22.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Oct. 30th 1878

Honorable Wm M. Evarts

Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 4. bearing date August 8th transmitting a letter addressed to me by the Honorable Wm M. Springer enclosing a subpoena duces tecum, from the House of Representatives, by which I am directed to produce before the "Expenditures in State Department Committee" of the House of Representatives "a certified transcripts of the

~~if~~ banking account of Geo
E. Seward and O.B. Bradford
in the Hong Kong and Shanghai
Bank, and the Comptoir d'
Escompte de Paris, during their
incumbency of the office of
Consul General and Vice
Consul General at Shanghai
including copies of all Checks
signed by either of them."

I am instructed to
obey the subpoena, with the
qualification, however, that the
measures which I may find
it necessary and proper to
adopt in the fulfillment of
that purpose must be ~~a~~
conceived and executed with a
due regard for the personal

rights of the gentlemen named in regard to their property and private papers, as their rights are secured and defined by Under the Constitution and laws of the United States.

Before instituting measures to execute their instructions, having due regard to the rights of the gentlemen named, it became necessary to ascertain how far my authority would be recognized by the Banks named in Compelling them to furnish the certified transcripts required by the Subpoena. In prosecuting this inquiry it came to my knowledge that the Managers

of the two banks would decline to recognize my writ requiring them to give me the accounts demanded by the subpoena duces tecum, on the ground that it is contrary to their rules to disclose the accounts of their constituents.

The Hong Kong and Shanghai bank being incorporated under the laws of Great Britain, as the Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris is likewise a banking corporation organized under the laws of France, and inasmuch as both banks are managed, respectively, on by subjects of Great Britain,

and the other by citizens of France, it will also be seen that I have no authority to compel their obedience in giving me the information which the subpoena duces tecum directs me to furnish. Therefore the only alternative left me was to address an official request to the managers of the designated banks asking for certified transcripts of the accounts named: This I accordingly did on the 25th instant, as will appear by the enclosed copies of my letters addressed, separately, to John Walker, manager of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

And

and to E.G. Vouillemont, a
manager of the Comptoir d'
Escompte de Paris. To these
letters Mr. Walter and M.
Vouillemont promptly replied,
3. and 4. as will be seen by the enclosures,
again declining to furnish
the desired information for
the same reasons as heretofore
stated.

I may mention, as you
would perhaps like to know,
that Mr. Walters, the manager
of the Hong Kong and Shanghai
Bank, informed me, incidentally,
that the total amount of
Mr. Seward's account with
their bank would not exceed
ten thousand taels (about thirteen
thousand

thousand dollars, and Mr. Vuillemots, Manager of the Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris, remarked to me, upon a further enquiry which I made, that Mr. Sewards account with their Bank was quite inconsiderable.

By which has transpired you will readily see that I have done all I can to obey the subpoena which you transmitted me, and I await any further instructions you may think it necessary to give in the premises.

I have the honor &c &c.

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Daniel Huntington

Vice Consul General

(Copy)

United States
Consulate General
Shanghai Oct. 25th 1878.

John Walters Esq.
Manager
Hongkong and Shanghai
Banking Corporation
Shanghai

Sir.

In obedience to a subpoena issued by the Honorable the Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington I have the honor to request that you will furnish me, at an early day, with a certified transcript of the banking account of George F. Seward and C.B. Bradford in your bank, during their incumbency of the offices of Consul General and Vice Consul General in the United States Consulate General at Shanghai, including copies of all checks signed by

by either of them.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

(Signed) David H Bailey

Vice Consul General

(Copy)

United States Consulate General
Shanghai Oct. 26th 1878

E.G. Vouillemont Esq.
Manager Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris.

Sir

In obedience to a subpoena issued by the Honorable the Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington I have the honor to request that you will furnish me, at an early day, with a certified transcript of the banking account of George F. Seward and O.B. Bradford in your bank, during their incumbency of the offices of Consul General and Vice Consul General in the United States Consulate General at Shanghai, including copies of all checks signed by either of them

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your obedient Servant
(Signed) David H. Bailey
Vice Consul General

(Copy)

Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation
Shanghai 28th Oct. 1878

D. N. Bailey Esq.
U.S. Vice Consul General
Shanghai.

Sir.

I regret I am unable to grant the request contained in your letter of this date to furnish you with a certified statement of the Banking Accts of Messrs G. F. Seward and A.B. Bradford, during their — incumbency, at this place of the Offices of Consul General and Vice Consul General respectively, as it is contrary to the rules of this Corporation to disclose the accounts of their constituents.

I am Sir.
Your obedient Servant
(Sigd) John Walter
Manager

Comptoir D'Escompte
De Pari

Copy

Shanghai 28th Oct 1878

D. H. Bailey Esq.
Vice Consul General
Shanghai.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 26th Oct. and in reply thereto, I beg to state that I am unable to communicate to any person any information respecting the Consul accounts of this Bank's Constituents.

I have the honor to be, Sir
Your obedient Servant
(Sig'd) E. G. Vouillemont
Manager

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No. 34] Aboo 30th 187 8 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Inventory of Effects of Miss. Lydia May Hay deceased

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits inventory of effects.

No. 24.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Nov. 30th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Refering to my dispatch No. 15, of the 25th ultimo, reporting the death of Miss Lydia Mary Fay, I have the honor to enclose herewith an inventory of her effects.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Frank H. Hall

New Consul General

Inclosure.

No. 1. Inventory of effects of Miss Lydia Mary Kay.

Inventory of effects of Lydia Mary Fay (deceased)

	Matting on floor.	3	50
	Rug.	1	25
	Glass Stand	4	—
	Japanese screen	8	—
	Davenport etc.	5	50
	Glass fronted bookcase	7	00
2	Easy chairs	12	00
4	Cane "	8	00
1	Cane lounge	2	00
1	Glass fronted bookcase	12	00
1	do do		
1	Celestial globe	9	00
1	Glass fronted bookcase	7	00
1	Centre table	4	50
1	Round "	1	00
1	Pillow		50
1	Footstool		
1	Flat candlestick		25
4	Fruit plates		60
1	Inkstand	1	00
23	Pictures and Photos.	15	00
1	Clock.	8	00
1	Pr. Bronze vases	3	50
1	" " urns	6	50
1	" " candelabra	3	50
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1	Pr. porcelain vases		25
1	Bronze incense burner.	1	00
1	Small Japanese box		
1	do. do.	1	00
1	do. teapot.		
2	Dictionaries		
1	Vol. Wheatons Intl. Law.	5	00
1	" Imperial Dictionary	~~2~~	~~00~~
11	" Tennysons in case	2	00
1	Pr. Terra Cotta vases	1	00
3	Glass vases	1	00
3	Hammers, 3 Gimlets and Small Saw.	1	00
4	Albums, 3 bookslides and 1 Crucifix	6	00
4	Straw worked baskets	1	00
2	Curtain cornices with fringe	3	00
1	Small carved box	1	00

2	Nail brushes, bottle cologne and fly catcher	1	00
1	Ottoman	9	00
1	Ninepin table	4	50
2	Chairs	2	00
1	Mat and 4 hussocks		50
1	Japanese table		50
1	Cooking stove	8	00
1	Kettle and 2 sauce pans.	1	00
		168	75
1	Oil lamp	2	00
3	Trays		50
7	Pictures	2	50
1	Cupboard	4	00
	Sundry plates, dishes, glass cruets Knives, forks, table cloths etc.	30	00
	Door mat Chinese table	3	00
5	Chairs	4	00
1	Sofa.	3	00
1	Terrestial globe.	9	00
1	Square table	1	50
1	Bookstand etc Books.	3	00
1	Table cloth		25
1	Engraving	2	50
1	Photo. and frame.	3	00
5	China dishes	5	00
2	China inkstands	1	00
	Wooden Bedstead and Bedding	35	00
	Matting and 3 Rugs.	11	00
	Coal scuttle.	1	50
	Fender & irons	1	25
	Small round table	2	00
	Folding round table	29	75
		7	00
	Lounge, chairs, cushion and pillow	3	00
2	Cane chairs	2	00
1	Easy do	4	00
1	Dressing table and toilet glass.	9	00
1	Small table	2	50
	Marble top cupboard	6	00
	Sundry stores etc	3	00
1	Liquor tray and glasses.	2	50
2	Small Japanese cabinets	3	00

1	Chest of Drawers	13 00
1	Dressing table	11 00
1	What not.	1 50
1	Travelling bag	4 50
1	Breakfast set.	5 00
13	Pictures and Photos.	4 25
2	Candlesticks	1 50
1	China bowl and 2 Cups etc.	2 00
4	Glass vases.	50
2	Small muslin curtains	25
	Oil cloth and Rugs.	7 00
	Washstand and toilet set.	1 50
	Filter	2 00
		389 75
1	Small table.	
1	Towel rack.	1 50
1	Chair.	
	Foot pan.	2 50
2	Wardrobes.	15 00
	Chest of drawers	6 00
	Commode and 2 Utensils	1 50
	A Silver Cup. 29 Spoons, 2 Knives	50 00
9	Forks.	
	Pin dish, spectacles, scent bottle etc.	1 50
	Matting 3 hwesocks, Cushion	75
1	Chromolithograph	8 00
1	Pictures	4 00
1	Davenport	9 00
4	Bronze ornaments	7 00
4	China "	50
4	Flower pots	50
	Sundry books etc.	5 00
1	Prie Dieu	3 50
6	Chairs	6 00
1	Table	3 50
2	Small scent bottles	
1	Crucifix	50
1	Wooden chest with canvas cover.	3 00
2	Bookshelf.	2 00
		521 00
3	Cushions	50
2	Travelling trunks	6 00
1	Flower stand and flowers.	1 50

1	Wooden stool.	15	00
1	Firrick bar.		
1	Case containing Carpet and Curtains	60	00
850	(about) Volumes of books.	100	00
1	Pair Gold spectacles	8	00
3	Medals.		
1	Pencil		
1	Bead necklace (Jarusalem)		
1	do. do.		
2	Hair pins and bracelet.	6	00
1	Silver Napkin ring	1	00
1	Gold chain and Enamel cross.	40	00
1	Cameo brooch	25	00
1	Small locket and chain		
1	Bracelet (stone and metal)	7	00
1	Leather Portmonaie		
1	Small box 13 Coins		
6	Silver egg spoons	6	00
3	Brooches 1 Silver bird	5	00
5	Earrings and 1 Cross	2	00
	Brooch and earrings in case	12	00
		816	00
	Bracelet and scent bottle	7	00
	Gold scent bottle top.	1	00
	Lot of imitation pearls		
1	Jet cross.	6	00
1	Gold bracelet.	7	00
	Box containing sundry ordinary ornaments,		
6	Gold coins 11 Small Silver coins	8	00
3	Copper coins		
1	Box containing an Italian Cameo Painting of "Beatrice" and sundry stones of little value	5	00
1	Gold watch.		
1	Cameo pin		
1	Moss Agate pin.		
		877	00

Deposit receipt of Hong Kong and Shanghai Bk. Due Dec. 15. 1878 — 2372-63
" April 22 — 78 — 3333-62
Pass Book same Bk. 1077-39
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Consulate General
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Inclosure No. 1.
With dispatch No. 24

Total Estimated Value. $7660.64

No. 26] Aug. 30 187 9 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of Dep.t's Separate Circular dated Sep.t 23.d 1878.

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Acknowledges the receipt and will observe the instructions.

No. 25.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Nov. 30th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Separate Circular of the Department dated September 23rd 1878 relating to the facilities offered on the Coast of China for shipping coolies.

The instructions therein contained will be carefully observed.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Daniel H. Smith
Vice Consul General

Mr Hood

No. 26.] Nov 20 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of dispatch No. 7.

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Acknowledges the receipt of State Department dispatch No. 7.

No. 26.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Nov 30th 1878

Hon. Wm Hunter

Second Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 7. bearing date September 24th 1878.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

David N. Yale

Vice Consul General

Acknd 16 Feb 1879 Wood

No. 37.] SRC. 2nd " 187 8 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject: Inventory of Effects of John Symonds deceased.

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Transmits Inventory of Effects

No. 27.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 2nd 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Referring to my dispatch No. 6, dated September 20th, reporting the death of John Symmds, I have the honor to transmit herewith an inventory of his effects.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General

Inclosure.

No. 1. Inventory of effects of

John Symmes deceased

Inventory of effects of John Symons (deceased)

1	Kerosine chandelier.	6 00
1	Clothes rack.	1 50
1	Lot hats, boots etc.	1 00
1	Folding chair.	1 25
3	Hunting horns.	1 00
1	Kinnickska.	10 00
1	Mantle clock.	10 00
1	Mirror.	8 00
1	Stuffed bird (bittern)	3 00
1	Engraving.	2 50
1	Small side board.	3 00
1	Tape measure.	50
1	Castor.	50
4	Colored prints	1 00
1	Chromo (elk).	1 00
1	Engraving (inquisition).	6 00
1	Photo. (grave)	~ ~
1	Engraving (coronation Victoria).	9 00
1	Pen sketch. (leech)	1 00
1	Cushioned arm chair.	4 00
2	Easy chairs.	4 00
1	Lounge.	5 00
1	Sofa.	3 00
1	Cane seat arm chair.	75
1	Candle lamp.	1 00
1	Centre table and cane.	2 50
1	Bible.	~ ~
4	Vols. "Old and New London."	2 00
1	" Burns works.	1 00
1	" Dead shot.	50
1	" Bible.	50
1	Shooting map.	~ ~
	Carried Forward.	91 25

	Brought forward	91	2
1	Bulmers works.		75
1	Thermometer.		50
2	Stas Vol. Stanehedge.	1	00
1	" French grammar and 1 Key.		50
3	" Burks works.	1	00
1	Spittoon.		25
1	Bedstead, bedding and net.	6	00
1	Table.	1	00
1	Washstand and odd set.	1	75
1	Bureau.	3	00
1	Sofa.	2	50
1	Wardrobe.	2	00
2	Chests drawers.	3	00
1	Masker masons jewel.	—	—
1	Debit note.	350	00
1	" " Rs. 1000. @ 75 =	1333	33
1	" "	354	—
1	"	150	—
	Balance H.K. and S. Bk. July/78 Rs. 2021.47 @ 75 =	2661	96
1	Lot clothing.	50	00
1	Certif. share in condensed egg factory.	5000	00
	Lot of land and two houses.	2500	00
1	Gold watch - Gosh. Kong Kong. 14208.	150	00
2	Gold chains and one seal.	175	00
1	Manilla Lottery tickets. Sept. 10324.		
3	Diamond rings.	600	00
	Balance to cr. acct. Mustard and Co.	618	61
1	Camphor wood trunk.	3	00
1	Pair marine glasses.	30	00
3	Chairs.	3	00
2	Walking sticks	1	00
3	Cent. fire breech loading 12 bore guns	200	00
1	Leather trunk.	20	00
1	Cooking store and utensils.	10	00
	Carried forward	14.333.	67

Brought forward	14	333 67
Interest in shooting boat.		60 60
Gas burner stove.		6 00
E. P. dishes and covers.		4 00
Lot cartridges etc.		1 00
Share in Bg. "Vesta"	1	500 00
Balance due from M. M. S. N. Co. (wages)		360 00
Cent. fire breech loading gun (for raffle) at		100 00
Set 27 Vol. American Encyclopedia.		20 00
"Boars Head" Tavern.		300 00
Estimated Total	$	16874.68

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No. 28.] Dec 3rd 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Death of Lieut Kennedy Mooney.

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Reports the death and states he leaves a wife and Mother, and that left a will.

No. 28.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 3rd 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I regret to have to report the death of John Kennedy Mooney, a citizen of the United States. Mr. Mooney had resided in Shanghai for a period of twenty years. He was an influential member of the Shanghai Pilots' Association and had accumulated considerable property. He leaves a wife who resides in Shanghai. His mother resides in County Meath Drogheda Ireland.

He left a Will.
An inventory of Effects and
other information relating
to the estate will be reported
in the usual course.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant
Daniel H. Craig
Vice Consul General

Ask - publish death
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No. 29] Dec. 5th 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General. to State Department,

Subject:— Death of Edwin Maurice Smith.

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Reports the death of Edwin Maurice Smith. Transmits a copy of his will, Gives a short account of his life in the East, speaks of the condition of his estate, and asks authority to employ an attorney.

Inclosure

1. Copy of Will.

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Death in N.Y. Gaz. & Phila. Press.

No. 29.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 3rd 1878

Hon. Charles Payson.

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

It is my painful duty to report the death of Mr Edwin Maurice Smith, a citizen of the United States, who for many years has been residing in China.

Mr Smith has accumulated a large landed estate in Shanghai, valued, at a loose estimate, at something under half a million dollars. The property consists chiefly of Chinese tenement houses from which there is a large annual rental derived.

Some years ago Mr Smith's

property became greatly embarrased, but having obtained "long loans" of money in England at a low rate of interest he had, by judicious — management, and the proper application of his large monthly income, so far reduced his indebtedness that it may be said had his death occured something over a year ago, the incumbrances on his property could have been easily adjusted, so as to have left a great estate, with no considerable cloud upon its value

It is —

averred that more than a year ago evidences of his mind being seriously impaired, in the direction of insanity, became painfully evident.

" " " " "

From that time his exceedingly —
eccentric extravagancies have greatly
involved his estates again, and its
value is, apparently, in no small
degree impaired.

I enclose a copy of
his will made in 1870, by which it
will be seen that he creates a —
trust estate for the benefit of —"
certain persons, Cestui qui trust,
therein named.

I would recommend
that the beneficiaries in Philadelphia
be immediately notified of the condition
of his affairs here, and inasmuch as
many large and questionable claims
will doubtless be presented, as well
as that intricate questions in law
will be involved, that I be (by them)

authorized by telegraph to employ
a competant attorney to look
after their interests.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Faiard A. Vail
Vice Consul General.

I Edwin Maurice Smith of Shanghai in the Empire of China but now temporarily residing at "The Charing Cross Hotel" in the County of Middlesex England, hereby declare this to be my last will and testament:——
I give devise and bequeath all my real and personal estate and effects whatsoever and wheresoever (except estates vested in me upon trusts or by way of mortgage) unto and to the use of Thomas Hanbury and J. P. Bisset of Shanghai aforesaid or the survivor of them or the trustees or trustee for the time being of this my will. (hereinafter called "my trustees or trustee")
UPON TRUST. for the purposes set forth and expressed in and by the following paragraphs, by which I will, testify, desire, to declare, and direct.——————

1 THAT my trustees or trustee shall appropriate the proceeds of the two Policies assuring my life for the sum of ten thousand pounds sterling (£10.000.) as and in the manner stated by Article 12 of certain —— Articles of Agreement dated the 20th day of Oct. 1869. and made between "The Chartered Mercantile Bank of India. London and China" on the one part and myself on the other part.——————

2 THAT my trustees or trustee shall not dispose of the Continental States, and City bonds hypothecated to the Bank. aforesaid, but shall appropriate the coupons, Prizes, and proceeds, of the said Bonds when

paid to the same uses which the rents and profits of my real estates are hereinafter directed to be paid. applied. ———

3 THAT my trustees or trustee shall either retain the furniture of my dwelling house and offices at Shanghai aforesaid for the use of any one they may appoint to manage my real estates or dispose of the said furniture and appropriate the proceeds thereof to the same uses which the rents and profits of my real estates are hereinafter directed to be applied ———

4 THAT my trustee or trustees shall apply all monies, mortgages, debts, real and personal estates and effects whatsoever, and whatsoever which I may die possessed of (and which are not hereinbefore or hereinafter otherwise disposed of) to the same uses which the rents and profits of my real estates are hereinafter directed to be applied. ———

5 THAT. my trustees or trustee shall receive the rents and profits of my real estates and every part thereof and manage the same as they or he may think proper. ———

6. THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power to let my real estates or any part or parts thereof, either from year to year, or for any term or ——

number of years, either upon repairing, building or husbanding leases, and generly on such terms as my trustees or trustee shall think proper.—

7 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have ~~power~~ power to except surrenders from and make allowances to and arrangement with tenants and others.

8 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power to do all and every thing which they or he may deem necessary to obtain a renewal of the lease from term to term of the piece of land in the foreign settlement at Shanghai aforesaid and registered at the Land office of the British Consulate at Shanghai aforesaid as Lot 1/2 and known as "Smiths Market."

9 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power to direct such repairs, alterations, and improvements to my real estates as they or he from time to time may deem it most desirable to make, and to pay for the same out of the rents and profits of real estates but not by way of mortgage.

10 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power at any times or time hereinafter or from time to time to join in any transfer of any mortgage or other charge or incumbrance, upon all or any part of

my real estates or to give further security for, or to pay off all or any part of the money secured by any such mortgage, charge, or incumbrance and for that purpose to adjust and settle any accounts with any mortgagee or incumbrancer.

11 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power to raise any sum or sums in order to discharge or pay off any mortgage, charge, or incumbrance upon my real estates and the interests thereon together with the cost of procuring and raising the same by mortgage of all or any part of my real estates or by with or out of the rents and profits of the same or any parts of them and to apply the monies so to be raised in discharge of such mortgage charge or incumbrance accordingly.

12 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power upon any transfer of mortgage or mortgages as stated in paragraphs 10, and (if it shall be deemed expedient) to give to the transferee or transferees, mortgagee or mortgagees any power of sale or any other usual or reasonable power or powers.

13. THAT the receipts of my trustees or trustee of the time being of my will shall effectually.

wonerate mortgagees and others paying monies to such trustees or trustee, from all liability of the application there of.

14 THAT every mortgage, charge or incumbrance to be made and created by my trustees or trustee for the time being of my will, shall in favor of the mortgagee or lender be presumed to be necessary and proper and the person or persons advancing money by way of such mortgage, charge or incumbrance, shall not be bound or concerned to see and enquire whether such money is actually required for the purposes of the trusts and powers under these presents or otherwise as to the necessity or propriety of such mortgage, charge or incumbrance.

16 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have ample power to do or cause to be done all such act and things relating to or desirable for the management of my real estates as they or he shall in their or his discretion think fit

16 THAT my trustees or trustee shall apply the rents and profit of my real estates until the same are freed from all mortgages, charges, or incumbrances in and towards the following payments.

(a) The Payment of all taxes and rates chargeable

against my real estates.

(b) The payment of all expences of management of my real estate which in the opinion of my trustees or trustee may or shall be necessary.

(c) The payment of all ground rents of my leasehold estates.

(d) The payment of all premiums necessary for the renewal from time to time of the fire insurance now affected on portions of my real estates together with such premiums for additional insurance against loss by fire which in the opinion of my trustees or trustee it may be desirable to effect on my real estates or any part of them.

(e) The payment of the interest on all mortgages charges or incumbrances against my real estate.

(f) The payment of all the instalments arranged by me for the repayment of all loans, mortgages charges, or incumbrances against my real estates and the Continental State and City Bonds aforesaid.

(g) The payment of the cost of such repairs and improvements to my real estates as in the opinion of my trustees or trustee it may be advisable to make.

(h) The payment every quarter of an income to the parties hereinafter named which said income shall equal one tenth part or portion of the grossments and profits of my real estate for every quarter.

17 THAT my trustees or trustee shall apply the rent and profits of my real estates as soon as the same are freed from all mortgages, charges or incumbrances in and towards the following payments.

(a) The payment of all rate and taxes chargeable against my real estate.

(b) The payment of all expenses of management of my real estate which in the opinion of my trustees or trustee may or shall be necessary.

(c) The payment of all ground rents of my Lease hold estates

(d) The payment of such insurance against loss by fire of my real estates or any part of them as in the opinion of my trustees or trustee it may be advisable to effect.

(e) The payment of a sum for the formation of a reserve fund by depositing on the end of every quarter on interest with a first class Bk. at Shanghai aforesaid, one fifth part of the engrossments and profits of my real estates for every three month,

which said reserve fund shall be held available for payment from time to time of the cost of such improvement to my real estates as, in the opinion of my trustees or trustee it may be desirable to make.

(f) The payment of an income every quarter to the parties hereinafter named, which income shall be raised from and equal in amount the rents and profits for every quarter of my real estates after deducting there from the five payments first above named and adding thereto any interest which may be received on the aforesaid reserve fund.

18 THAT my trustees or trustee shall pay the incomes ~~first and last~~, mentioned as follows.

(a) One Tenth part of or portion of said incomes to my Sister Caroline Margaret, the widow of James Seymour. (who was residing when last heard from in her in the City of Philadelphia in the State of Pennsylvania, in the United States of North America) during her life for her sole and separate use, without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation and free from the control of her present husband should she have married again or of any future husband, and after her death

to her daughter Belle during her life for her sole and separate use without power to dispose of the same by anticipation and free of the control of her present husband if married or any future husband and after her death to the heirs of her body and in case of the failure of issue, then to be added to the reserve fund herein-before named.

(b) One Tenth part or portions of the said income to my half sister Evelina or Elvelina, the widow of one Allen (who was residing when I last heard from her at Philadelphia aforesaid) during her life free from the control of her husband should she have married again or of any future husband = and after her death to the heirs of her body and in case of the failure of issue then to be added to the present reserve fund aforesaid

(c) One Tenth part or portion of the said income to Evy. Evaline or Evalina the daughter of my ~ deceased half brother Rufus Draper (who was ~ residing when I last heard of her at or near the City of New York in the United States aforesaid) during her life for her sole and separate use without power to dispose of the same by way

of anticipation free from the control of any future husband, and after her death to the heirs of her body, and in case of the failure of issue then to be added to the reserve fund hereinbefore named.

(d) One tenth part or portion of the said income to the second daughter of my deceased half brother Rufus aforesaid, whose name I do not know but believe it to be Maurice or Mauricina (who was residing when I last heard of her at or near the City of New York in the United States aforesaid) free from the control of any future husband and after her death to the heirs of her body and in case of the failure of issue then to be added to the reserve fund before named.

(e) One Twentieth part or portion of the said income to Belle the daughter of my sister Caroline Margaret aforesaid during her life for her sole and separate use without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation free from the control of her husband if married or of any future husband and after her death to the heirs of her body and in case of the failure of issue then to be added to the reserve fund before named.

(f) One tenth part or portion of the said incomes to

Eliza the daughter of Joseph Warren of 3 Park Lane, Church Street, Fulham Road in the county of Middlesex aforesaid during her life for her sole and separate use without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation free from the control of any or future husband and after her death to her daughter Edwina Lizzie my God child during her life for her sole and separate use without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation free from the control of any husband should she marry and after her death to the heirs of her body and in case of the failure of issue to be added to the reserve fund herein before named ——————

(g) One fifth part or portion of the said incomes to my God child Edwina Lizzie aforesaid during her life for her sole and separate use without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation free from the control of any husband should she marry and after her death to the heirs of her body and should she die without issue then to the reserve fund herein before mentioned ——————

(h) One Twentieth part or portion of the said incomes to Ellen the daughter of Joseph Warren aforesaid during her life for her sole and separate use

without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation free from the control of any husband should she marry and after her death to the heirs of her body but should she die without issue then to the reserve fund herein before mentioned

(i) One Tenth part or portions of the said incomes to the children of Wang Teen Yee of Shanghai aforesaid in equal proportions or shares during their lives without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation and after their deaths to their heirs and assigns - but if the Laws of China which holds the children of a debtor responsible for the debts of their father interfere in any way as to prevent the children of Wang Teen Yee aforesaid enjoying the one tenth part of the said incomes then the same shall be added to the reserve fund aforesaid but I ernestly enjoin my trustees or trustee to use their utmost endeavors to either directly or indirectly arrange so that the children of Wang Teen Yee aforesaid shall enjoy the incomes I have willed them.

(k) One Fifth. parts or portions of the said incomes to my trustees for the time being of this my will in equal shares.

19. THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power at any time hereafter to raise by way of mortgage of my real estates or any portion there of the income first herein before named or any portion there of. ———————————————

20. THAT the incomes aforesaid shall be paid on the 31st day of March, on the 30th day of June on the 30th day of Sept. and on the 31st day of December. in each and every year commencing with either of the above named days next following my death. ———————————————

21 THAT my trustees or trustee shall purchase bills of exchange with the respective sums or incomes to be paid to the parties herein before named who may be residing in the United States aforesaid or Europe which said bills of exchange must be drawn at sight by a first class Bank at Shanghai aforesaid or a first class Bank in London in the County of Middlesex aforesaid and forwarded by the regular Mails for Europe and the United States aforesaid leaving Shanghai aforesaid next after the above named quarter days. ———————————————

22 THAT if the trustees herein before appointed or any of them shall die in my lifetime or if they or any of them or any trustee or trustees to be appointed

as hereafter is provided, shall after my death — desire to be discharged or refuse or become — incapable to act, then and so often the said trustees or trustee (and for this purpose every — retiring or refusing trustee shall be considered a trustee) may appoint a new trustee or new trustees in the place of the trustee or trustees dying in my lifetime or desiring to be discharged or refusing to be or becoming incapable to act. and at any time after my death each of the trustees for the time being of this my will shall after having undertaken the duties of trustee have power to appoint by will or otherwise a new trustee to act for him after his death. and upon every such appointment the trust premises shall be transfered to and vested in the new trustee or trustees either solely or with a — continuing trustee or trustees as the case may require —

23 THAT my trustees or trustee for the time being of this my will shall be respectively chargeable only with such moneys as they shall respectively actually receive and shall not be answerable for each other or for any Banker, Broker or other persons in whose hands any of the trust moneys shall be placed nor for the insufficiency or deficiency of any stocks funds or securities or otherwise for involuntary losses —

4 THAT my trustees or trustee shall not pay any of the incomes herein before mentioned to any of the parties aforesaid who shall assign charge or otherwise dispose of any of their said incomes or any part thereof by way of anticipation or shall have done or suffered or shall do or suffer some act whereby any of their incomes aforesaid or any part thereof if payable to them would become vested in some other person or persons.

5 THAT the interest and instalments (together £250 sterling per annum) on the £2500 Sterling advanced by me as trustee for Eliza and Ellen daughters of Joseph Warren aforesaid on mortgage against The old race course estates Nos. 1.3.4.5.6.8.9 and 10 and the Darloo Loagar and Sie-a-wei Estates shall be paid by my trustees or trustee to Eliza and Ellen aforesaid in the same way their incomes are herein before directed to be paid and as follows four fifths part or portion to Eliza aforesaid for the sole use of herself and daughter Edwina Lizzie without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation free from the control of her present or future husband should she die before the said mortgage be repaid at the end of the years from the 1st of January 1870 then the same shall be paid to her sister Ellen.

aforesaid for the sole use of herself and Edwina Lizzie aforesaid without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation and free from the control of any present or future husband should the said Edwina Lizzie die before her mother Eliza aforesaid and before the expiration of the said 14 years then the half of the four fifths part or portion of the interest and instalments aforesaid shall be added to the reserve fund hereinbefore named the remaining two fifths being retained by the said Eliza, and should the said Edwina Lizzie die after her mother and before the decease of Ellen aforesaid then three fifths part or portion of the said four fifths shall be added to the reserve fund aforesaid - the remaining one fifth part or portion of the £200 annual instalment and interest for repayment of the £2500 aforesaid trust monies shall be paid by my trustees or trustee to Ellen aforesaid for her sole and separate use without power to dispose of the same by way of anticipation free from the control of any present or future husband and after her death to the heirs of her body but should she die without issue then to the reserve fund herein before mentioned

26 THAT if any person or persons entitled to any benefit under this my will shall in any wise dispute the validity thereof or any codicil or codicils which I may have annexed or commit do, permit or suffer any act, deed, matter or thing whatever whereby or by reason whereof my said will or any dispositions contained therein or in any codicil or codicils annexed thereto may be impeached, set aside, controverted, or prejudicially affected then and in every such case all devises and bequests hereinto before contained in favor of such persons respectively who shall act as aforesaid shall cease and be void to all intents and purposes whatsoever and be added to the reserve fund aforesaid

27 THAT my trustees or trustee shall forward to each of the parties herinbefore named as recipients of the incomes aforesaid a copy of this my will.

28 THAT my trustees or trustee shall have power to appoint as manager of my real estates J. P. Priest aforesaid at and under a yearly salary which shall equal five per cent of the gross rents and profits of my real estate together with one tenth part or portion of any sum which may be collected as rents and profits of my real estates over and above the sum of

£10,000. Stg. at 6/0 exchange for the tael of Shanghai Sycee (about the amount of the present rents and profits of my real estates) as well as for the use of my dwelling House & Go-Down — and the furniture there of. But in this matter I merely authorize and impower and do not — ~~require~~ and direct my trustees or trustee to act.

29 THAT the said Thomas Hanbury and J. P. Bisset shall be and are hereby appointed executors of this my will.

30 THAT the said Eliza and her sister Ellen aforesaid shall be and are hereby appointed guardians of Edwina Eliza the daughter of the said Eliza and after their decease my trustees or trustee for the time being of this my will.

31 THAT the wife of my deceased brother Rufus Draper aforesaid and my half sister Evaline or Evalina aforesaid shall be and are hereby appointed guardians of the two daughters aforesaid of my deceased brother Rufus and after their death my trustees or trustee for the time being of this my will.

32 I HEREBY Declare as follows.

(a) THAT this my will is written by me, with a style on six half sheets of paper prepared for the "Manifold Writer" with three sheets of —

"Carbonic Ink Paper" placed between every two of the said half sheets - thus producing at the same time six copies of all which being of course similar to the other.

(b) THAT this my will consists of thirty two paragraphs numbered in the margin 1 to 32 and is written on fourteen half sheets of the said paper as aforesaid which are numbered 1 to 14 and signed by me in the presence of the three witnesses who have attached their signatures to the attestation clause.

(c) THAT the only erasures and interlineations in this my will are on the following pages - the lines on which are counted from the top of the page and numbered accordingly

Page 1. Line 9. The words "executors or administrators of" have been erased Line 10 The words "such survivor or other the" have been erased.

Page 2. Line 29. between the words "of" and "real" the word "my" has been interlined

Page 5. Line 27. The words "the remainder or net" have been erased and the words "and equal in amount the" have been interlined in lieu there of.

Page 6. Line 8. After the word "way" the word "of" has been underlined

LINE 17. Between the words "herein" and "named" the word "after" has been erased and the word "before" interlined in lieu thereof.

PAGE 7. LINE 3. Between the words after" and "death" the word "her" has been interlined. LINE 14. The word - hereinafter has been converted into "hereinbefore" by erasing after.

Page 8. Line 27 After the word "hold" the letter "s" has been erased.

Page 12. Line 4. The word "befors" has been erased LINE 5. The words "go over to the person or persons - who." have been erased. LINE 6. The whole of the words in line have been erased. LINE 12 & 1 The word "executor" has been erased. LINE. 25. The words "shall be and are hereby" have been erased.

In Witness Whereof. I have hereunto set my hand this first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

(Sgd) Edwin Maurice Smith (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Declared by the said testator Edwin Maurice Smith as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us (all three being present at the same time) who, at his request, in his sight and presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names, as attesting witnesses not only to his declaration and signature above but also to the

part of his having signed his name at the foot of every page of this his will in the presence of us- all three being present at the same time.

Sd W. Walsoll 65 Old Broad St London.
Sd ~~C Thorne~~ 16 Mark Lane London E.C.
Sd J. A Maitland of Shanghai.
pro tem Belgrade Mansion
London S.W.

Consular Shanghai

Inclosure No. 1.

With dispatch

No. 29.

Copy of the

Will

of Edwin Maurice

Smith

Shanghai
Ask + send copy to parties at Phila. + N. York
L. P.
Elements

Secretary Washington,

Edwin Maurice Smith

Citizen United States dead.
Large trust. Estate involved,
but valuable. Trustees absent
England. English Mortgagees insist
on entering and selling without
proceedings, Creditors pressing.
Proceedings Commenced, Many
Claims doubtful because of
alleged late insanity. Income
large. Important to reserve Matty.
American beneficiaries Caroline
Margaret Seymour, Evaline Allen.
Belle Seymour, Philadelphia.
Evaline Draper, Mauriciant Draper.

New York. They should telegraph me to appoint Counsel for present. to protect interests.

Bailey.

Shanghai.

Rec'd Dec. 11. 1878.

"Shanghai" M Wood.

Washington December 20, 1878

Hon Wm. M. Evarts
Secretary of State

Sir

I am informed since my sojourn in Washington, under subpoena from the Committee of the House of Representatives, charged with the investigation of the Expenditures of the State Department that a lot or package of personal papers, (my property,) have been sent to the Department of State, either by Mr. Seward, Stahel or Bradford, from the Consulate at Shanghai. I am further informed that these papers are my private vouchers for personal expenditures. It is stated by Hon. G. Wiley Wells, late Consul General at that Port, that he found these vouchers in the safe which was under the control of C.N. Bradford and were mixed with his so-called private papers. I can conceive no reason why the Department should desire to withhold from me private papers which have been abstracted by C.N.B. Bradford and detained by him, notwithstanding my repeated demands for all papers of a private character which belong to me as well as an itemized account of

the monetary transactions of the Consulate kept by him during my administration; and I have only to add that both requests have not been complied with.

I would respectfully request that these papers be forwarded to my address at Willard's Hotel, this city without delay.

I have the honor to be, sir
Your obedient servant
John L. Myers
Consul General

Mr Hood

No. 30] December 30 187 8 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Rec'd at dept Feb 10th 1879

Mr. O. H. Bailey Consul General. China to the State Department,

Subject:— Certificate of marriage —

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Informs Department of the marriage of Alvin P. Parker and Alice Cooley —

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Enclosure.

No. 1. Marriage certificate of Alvin P. Parker and Alice Cooley.

No. 30

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 30th 1878.

Hon. Charles Payson

Asst Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith a certificate of marriage between Alvin P. Parker and Alice Cooley, both citizens of the United States.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obedient Servant.

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General.

CERTIFICATE

of

MARRIAGE.

Consulate General of the United States,

Shanghai, China, Dec 4th, 1878

I, D H Bailey CONSUL GENERAL

OF THE UNITED STATES at Shanghai, do hereby certify that on this 4th day of December, A.D. 1878, at the residence of Rev W. A. P. Martin, in the city of Shanghai Wm P Parker aged 28 years, born in Paris Co Texas, and now residing in Soochow, China, and Alice Bailey born in Mercer Co Ill and now residing in Soochow, China, were united in marriage before me, and in my presence, by Rev Wm A P Martin, who is authorized by the laws of the United States to perform such a ceremony.

In witness whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the CONSULATE GENERAL AT SHANGHAI this fifth day of December, A.D. 1878, and of the Independence of the United States the 102nd.

D H Bailey

Vice Consul General.

U. S. Consulate General.
Shanghai. China.

Enclosure No: 1.
with Dispatch No: 30.

State Department.

Marriage Certificate —
Elbert Parker and
Alice Cooley.

Mr Hood

No. 31] Dec. 30th 187 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. D. H. Bailey Consul General. China to the State Department,

Subject: Certificate of marriage.

Received Feb 15 1879

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Informs Department of the marriage of Rev. John W. Davis and Alice J. Shumaker.

Enclosure

No. 1. Marriage Certificate of Rev. John W. Davis and Alice J. Shumaker.

No. 31.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 30th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson.

Asst Assistant. Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith, a certificate of marriage between Rev. John F. Davis and Alice J. Shumaker, both citizens of the United States.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obedient Servant.

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General.

CERTIFICATE

of

MARRIAGE.

Consulate General of the United States,

Shanghai, China, Dec 5th, 1871

I, H. B. Bailey CONSUL GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES at Shanghai, do hereby certify that on this 5th day of December, A.D. 1871, at the residence of Rev. W. A. P. Martin, in the city of Shanghai Rev. John Nevius aged 39 years, born in Ashtabula County Ohio, and now residing in Soochow, China, and Mrs. Helen Sinnett born in Glen Co Penn and now residing in Soochow, China, were united in marriage before me, and in my presence, by Rev. G. F. Fitch, who is authorized by the laws of the United States to perform such a ceremony.

In witness whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the CONSULATE GENERAL AT SHANGHAI this ~~fifth~~ day of December, A.D. 1871, and of the Independence of the United States the 102nd.

H. B. Bailey

U.S. Consul General.

U.S. Consulate Gen'l
Shanghai China

Inclosure No. 1.
With Dispatch 31.

State Department

Marriage Certificate
John W. Davis and
Alice J. Shumaker

Mr Wood

No. 32.] December 3 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Rec'd Feb 13th 1879

Mr. D.N. Bailey Consul General. China to the State Department,

Subject:— Certificate of marriage.

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Informs Department of the marriage of Edward Lord D.D. and Angie McNeil.

Entered

Enclosure

No. 1. Marriage certificate of Edward Lord D.D. and Angie McNeil.

No. 32

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 30th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson.

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith a certificate of marriage between Edward Lord M.D., and Angie McNeil, both citizens of the United States.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obedient Servant.

Frank H. Hall

Vice Consul General.

CERTIFICATE

of

MARRIAGE.

Consulate General of the United States,

Shanghai, China, November 30th, 1878

I, David H. Bailey V. CONSUL GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES at Shanghai, do hereby certify that on this 30th day of November, A.D. 1878, at the residence of Rev. J. M. Farnham, in the city of Shanghai Edward C. Lord D.D. aged 61 years, born in Carlisle N.Y., and now residing at Ningpo and Angie McNeil born in Kirkville N.Y. and now residing in Akron Ohio were united in marriage before me, and in my presence, by Matthew T. Yates D.D., who is authorized by the laws of the United States to perform such a ceremony.

In witness whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the CONSULATE GENERAL AT SHANGHAI this 16th day of December, A.D. 1878 and of the Independence of the United States the 102nd.

David H. Bailey

V. Consul General.

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U.S. Consulate General.
Shanghai China.

Inclosure No. 1.
with Despatch No. 32

State Department —

Marriage Certificate
Edward Lord and —
Angie M. Neil —

Mr Wood

No. 33.] 30th Dec. 1878 United States Consulate at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of dis Relative & to 11 inclosures

Received Feb 6 1879

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledges the receipt of
dispatches & to 11 inclosures.

No. 33.

United States Consulate,

Shanghai, Dec 30th 1878

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of dispatches Numbers 8, 9, 10, and 11, the latter bearing date November 8th 1878.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Frank H. Bail

Vice Consul General

Mr. Bailey

No. 34] Dec 30th 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. Received Feb 15th 1879. to the State Department,

Subject:— Inventory of Effects of J. K. Mooney deceased

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Refers to dispatch No 28. and encloses a copy of an Inventory.

Inclosure

No 1. a copy of an inventory and appraisal of the Effects of John K. Mooney deceased.

No. 34.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, _____ 187__

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Referring to my dispatch No. 38, dated December 3rd instant I have the honor to transmit herewith a copy of an inventory and appraisal of the effects of John Lundy Mooney deceased.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Frank H. Smith

Vice Consul General

Inventory and Appraisement of the Effects and Property of John Kenedy Mooney (dec'd)

			₱
1	Two story House & about 2 mor land No of lot 869. No of title deed 262 – Registered U.S. Consul.		5000 00
	Drawing room.		
6	Chairs	@ ₱10 each.	60 00
6	"	" 12 "	72 00
2	Lounges.	" 25 "	50 00
1	Sofa.	" 25 "	25 00
4	Hammocks.	" 1 "	4 00
2	Tables.	" 5 "	10 00
2	"	" 5 "	10 00
1	Blackwood marble top table.		30 00
1	Chiffonier		25 00
1	Large Mirror		60 00
4	Sets rep. Curtains & Cornices		40 00
4	do Lace.		20 00
8	Pictures		40 00
1	Pair Parian Statues		12 00
1	" " "		6 00
1	" " "		5 00
1	" Marble vases.		3 00
1	" " Basin.		2 00
1	Lot Japanese ware.		10 00
4	Small ornaments.		5 00
1	Carpet & Hearth rug.		50.00
	Dining room.		
1	Carpet & Hearth rug.		10 00
3	Sets rep. Curtains & Cornices		30 00
1	Mirror		20 00
8	Chairs Mohogany leather covered.		40 00
4	" " "		10 00
1	Mahogany dining table (extension)		50 00
			₱ 5698 00
1	Mahogany side board.		50 00
6	Pictures	@ ₱5 each.	30 00
1	Parian figure		7 00
1	Pair Bronze Horses.		2 00

(over)

1	Pair Vases.	3 00
1	" Cuspidores	2 00
1	Plated tea and coffee set.	15 00
1	" Coffee pot & water jug.	2 00
1	Lot of Plated forks & spoons.	15 00
1	Gasline	25 00
1	Dinner service	10 00
1	Desert "	5 00
1	do. do.	8 00
1	Lot Crockery ware.	5 00
1	Large Lamp.	5 00
1	Lot glass ware.	10 00
1	Tea set.	10 00
1	Center flower stand.	3 00
1	Punkah.	3 00

Sitting room.

2	Mahogany chairs	6 00
2	Rocking "	5 00
1	Mahogany Lounge covered.	10 00
1	Table & Covered.	5 00
1	Marble top table.	6 00
1	Ink stand.	1 50
5	Pictures	7 00
1	Marble clock.	25 00
1	Pair Plated Candle sticks	5 00
1	" Vases.	3 00
1	" Figures	75
2	Small Tables.	3 00
1	Canton work box.	2 00
1	Japan Cabinetto	3 00
1	Stand & tea caddie	2 00
1	Cigar holder.	2 50
1	Sets lace curtains & poles.	10 00
1	Carpet rug.	7 00
1	Fender & fire irons.	4 00
1	Coal scuttle	1 00
1	Pair Cuspidores	3 00
1	" "	2 00

Bed rooms.

1	Large Teakwood Bedstead & spring matting & 4 Pillows	30 00
	(Carry over)	$ 6061.75

	amount carried forward.	6061.75
1	Mahogany dressing table & glass	25 00
1	" wash stand.	20 00
1	Dressing table & glass.	10 00
1	Shaving stand & glass.	5 00
1	Jack rack stand.	4 00
1	Cane chair.	2 00
1	Rocking do.	2 00
4	Chairs	5 00
1	Pair Cuspidores	2 00
3	Sets rep. Curtains with poles.	12 00
3	" Lace curtains	6 00
8	Pictures	12 00
1	Pair Candle sticks	3 00
1	Carpet & rug	9 00
5	Mantle piece ornaments.	1 50
	Small room.	
1	Set damask curtains & Cornices -	4 00
1	Chest drawers.	10 00
1	Looking glass.	4 00
1	Sewing machine	5 00
16	Lot Books.	9 00
	Bath room.	
1	Marble top washstand.	10 00
1	Toilet set.	3 00
1	Large Bath pan.	5 00
1	Mahogany commode.	10 00
1	Towel rack.	2 00
1	Large double wardrobe.	18 00
1	Set of Damask curtain with pole.	4 00
2	Pairs Dumb Bells.	6 00
	Entrance Hall.	
1	Hat stand	12 00
4	Hall chairs	6 00
1	Gasalier	20 00
	Back Verandah.	
	Large Ice chest.	10 00
1	Stove.	10 00
2	Horse saddles.	5 00
4	Water Kegs.	4 00
	(Carry over)	$ 6337.25

Kitchen.

	Amount carried forwd.	6337.25
1	Cooking stove & Cooking utensils.	25 00
1	Large dresser.	5 00
	Total.	6367.25

(Signed) John. E. Coates. } U.S. Citizens
" A. W. Murphy. }

" Edward Eustace Bowen. } Executors.
" O. C. Campbell. }

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 14th day of
Dec. A.D. 1878.

(Sd.) H. Latham.
Clerk of Court.

Shanghai Consular District

Shanghai 30th Oct 1878

Enclosure No 1.

Mixed Schedule No. 34.

State Department

Inventory of Effects

John K Mowry

John R Mooney

Mr Wood

No. 35.] Dec. 31st 1878. United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Receipt ack'd July 19th/1879

Mr. D. C. Bailey r. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Enclosure of a letter to the U.S. Shipping Commissioner at N.Y.

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Encloses a letter and ask that it be kindly forwarded.

Enclosure.

No. 1. Letter to the U.S. Shipping Commissioner New York.

No. 35.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 31st 1878.

Hon. Charles Payson.

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith a letter under flying seal, addressed to the United State Shipping Commissioner at New York, and I have to ask you to kindly forward the same.

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I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obedient Servant.

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General.

Mr Wood

No. 36.] Dec. 31st 187 8. United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Receipt asked for. Feby 5th 1879

Mr. D. B. Bailey V Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:—Enclosure of a letter to the Judge of the District Court Southern District of New York.

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Encloses a letter and asks that it be kindly forwarded.

Enclosure.

No. 1. Letter to the Judge of the U.S. District Court, Southern Dist. of New York.

No. 36.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 31st 1878.

Hon. Charles Payson.

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose herewith a letter under flying seal, addressed to the Judge of the United States Court, Southern District of New York and I have to ask you to kindly forward the same.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obedient Servant

Daniel H. Bailey

Vice Consul General.

No. 37] Dec. 31 1878 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. D. H Bailey V Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Estate of Edwin Maurice Smith (deceased)

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Encl copy of telegram dated 10th instant, and explains condition of the Estate.

No. 37.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Dec. 31st 1878

Hon. Charles Payson.

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

On the 10th instant I had the honor to transmit by wire the following telegram:

"Evarts. "

" Secretary State. "

" Washington. "

" Edwin Maurice Smith citizen United "

" States dead - large trust estate - involved "

" but valuable - trustees absent England - "

" English mortgagees insist on entering and "

" selling without proceedings - creditors "

" pressing - proceedings commenced - many "

" claims doubtful because of alleged late "

" insanity - important to preserve realty - "

" income large — American beneficiaries — "
" Caroline Margaret Seymour. Evaline Allen "
" Belle Seymour, Philadelphia; Evaline "
" Draper, Mauriciana Draper, New York. "
" They should telegraph me to appoint "
" counsel for present to protect interests."
" Bailey. "
" Dec. 10th 1878. "

I had already advised the Department in my No. 29 of the death of Mr. Smith, accompaning the dispatch with a copy of the last will and testament of the deceased.

The complications of the estate grew so rapidly, the mortgagees threatening to enter and sell without proceedings, that I deemed it best in the interests of the beneficiaries to ask from them by telegraph for authority to

employ an Attorney to protect their interests.

The Hong Kong Fire Insurance Company holds a mortgage on portions of the property for sixty thousand taels; The Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China also have a mortgage for eighty seven thousand taels upon other portions of the Estate. In addition to these there are sundry smaller sums secured by mortgage, and many large claims unsecured, which are being pressed for settlement. A very considerable portion of the latter claims arise out of transactions at a period subsequent to the time assigned when Mr. Smith is alleged to have become insane. It is also averred that many of these transactions are tainted with fraud and undue advantage as against a man who was then non compos mentis. A Chinese subject presents a

claim of nearly two hundred thousand taels, against which it is said there is a good defense. It is also believed, and I apprehend it can be shown, that the indebtedness to the Chartered Mercantile Bank had been so far reduced before decedent death, as to leave only a comparatively small balance due. And, besides, the Bank holds an insurance on the life of deceased for £10,000. The proceeds of this insurance, which should go to the estate, I am informed will be considerably reduced by premiums paid on it by the Bank during Smith's lifetime.

Prudent business men, who are well acquainted with the affairs of the deceased, express the decided opinion that with proper management there will be a residue of at least two —

hundred thousand dollars in trust for the beneficiaries.

The Trustees named in the will being both absent in England, and having both retired from business in China, the management of the Estate not only devolves temporarily upon me, but it is even questionable whether the Trustees will accept the trust.

Under all these circumstances, and considering how this Consulate General has been denuded of its staff, and broken of the machinery and capacity for the exercise of its full powers and functions, I have thought it best and safest to ask from the beneficiaries an authority which will greatly aid me, and which I believe to be essential for their interests.

I

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

Frank H. Bail

Vice Consul General.

Department of State,

Consulate Rumaus Feby 10th/79.

Subject: Estate of Edwin Maurice Smith late of Shanghai, China.

It appears, from Mr Bailey's dispatches, that the estate is valued at upward of half a Million dollars: That its Management devolves upon him: That it consists largely of realty in Shanghai: That there are many doubtful claims against the estate outstanding: That the Mortgage creditors are pressing for the immediate sale of the realty upon which they hold Mortgage: That owing to the disturbed condition of Mr Smith's Mind during the last year of his life, the estate is not in a good, or clear condition.

Upon receipt of information as to the death of Mr Smith, advertisement of the fact, in the usual form, was made

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in the New York Commercial Advertiser, and in the Philadelphia Press. Letters were also written to certain persons, named in the bill of the deceased, notifying them of the death of Ellen Smith, and that they might learn the particulars of the will by addressing themselves to the Department. These letters were sent to the Attorney General, and by him to the Attorneys for the Districts of New York and Pennsylvania. The letters have been returned to the Department with the information that the parties to whom they were addressed, cannot be found.

In his dispatch and telegram the Consul General request that he be instructed to employ counsel.

In view of the foregoing: of the value of the Estate: of the many delicate questions which will arise in its administration: and of the further fact, that the heirs or beneficiaries cannot be found, I recommend that the Department authorize the Consul General to employ able counsel to assist him in the administration of the

Estate

estate, and that the expense thereof be charged to the estate, and the Secretary of the Treasury be informed of the action of the Department. I further recommend that specific advertisements as to the estate, and for the heirs or beneficiaries thereof, be inserted in say, the New York Herald and the Philadelphia Ledger, for at least a week, the expense thereof to be also charged to the estate, and certified to the Consul General at Shanghai, to be refunded to the Department out of funds coming into his hands as administrator.

Since writing the above I have received and read Dispatch No 37, of date, December 31, 1878, from Consul General Bailey, in which he exhibits the condition of the estate. From this paper it appears that the Trustees appointed by the Will, have retired from business, and are now in England, and that it is doubtful whether they will return to China, or accept the trust. That the extent and nature of the doubtful claims

against

against the estate have raised questions of the deceased character, and that the Mortgage creditors are persistent in their efforts to cause the immediate sale of the property, although he is informed and believes that credits can be shown in time against these accounts which will considerably reduce their aggregate.

He also represents that the working force of the Consulate has been so reduced that it is impossible for him to give the attention to the estate which it imperatively demands. From all of which I am more strongly impressed than before with the necessity of the allowance of Counsel by the Department, pending the discovery of the heirs or beneficiaries, or the assumption of the trust by the Trustees under the Will. Should Counsel be allowed it seems to me that Mr Bailey should be notified of the fact by telegraph.

A. B. Wood

Papers in the case: Dispatch No 29. dec 3/1878.
Dispatch No 37. dec 31. 1878.
Telegram received dec 11. 1878.
Communication from the Department of the Attorney General of december 14th 1878.
Communications from the Attorney General of date respectively, January 20. & February 6th 1879.

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"Shanghai"

Office of Carpenter & Coleman
Washington Jan 2, 1879

Mr. Charles Lanpson
Third Assistant Secretary

Sir.

I have your letter of the 24th Dec. 1878 in reply to mine of the 20th of Dec. You inform me "that it appears from a "careful examination of the "record and files of the Department "that no such papers have been "received".

Permit me to call your attention to the fact that the vouchers alluded to in my letter will be found in Mr. Stahl's despatch No. 77

I am Sir, Your Obt Servt
John C. Myers.

Memo:

This letter reached me on Jan 23. The chief clerk states there is no reason to reply to it now.

ABW
24 Jan 79

Mr Wood

Ackd Apr 8/79

No. 38] January 16th 1879 United States Consulate at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V Consul General to the State Department,

Subject:— Separate Department Circular of Nov. 6th

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Acknowledges receipt. and suggests that its receipt was so late as to prevent the submission of suggestions.

No. 38.

United States Consulate,

Shanghai, Jany 16th 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Department Circular, bearing date Nov 6th 1878, relating to a revised edition of the Regulations for the Consular Service of the United States. The Circular was received on the 4th instant, and informs me that any suggestions I may have to make are desired to be submitted by, or before the 15th of this month.

Inasmuch

Inasmuch as the earliest mail leaving here for the United States is so late as this date, I apprehend that any changes I might submit would arrive too late to be considered.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Daniel H. Haigh

Vice Consul General

Wm Hoot

No. 39] Jan. 7th 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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1879
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Subject:—Receipt of dispatch

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

acknowledges the receipt of dispatch

No. 12.

Rec'd March 5th 1879

No. 39.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Jan. 7th 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 12, bearing date Nov. 12th 1878.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

David Strobel

Vice Consul General.

Mr Wood.

No. 40] Jan. 7th 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Vice Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Relating to Meteorological Journals & Navy Dept. Circular.

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ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

acknowledges the receipt of Meteorological Journals, and circular from the Navy Dept

Ack'd March 5th 1879

No. 40.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Jan. 7th 1879

Hon. Charles Payson.

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to, acknowledge the receipt of your separate, circular, bearing date Oct 5th 1878, relating to Meteorological Journals from the Hydrographic Office, and enclosing a circular from the Navy Department, and two copies, of the Meteorological Journal from the Hydrographic Office. These Journals will be disposed of, as you, desire.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

David H. Bailey

Vice Consul General.

No. 41] Jany 16 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Death of Wm L Farrell

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Gives date of death and informs the Department of the condition of his affairs

Acknd Mard 5th 1879.

Copy Mard 5th to Mrs Mary E Farrell, Buffalo NY.

See her letter dated Oct 6. 78.

No. 41.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, 16th January 1879

Hon. Charles Payson Esq

Third Asst Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 8, bearing date October 8th 1878, enclosing a letter from Mrs. Mary E. Smith of Buffalo, Newyork, requesting information about the death and affairs of her father Captain Fowell.

In reply I have to state, that the records of this Consulate General show that Wm. F. Fowell died at

Shanghai, in the General Hospital, September 19th 1873, and that he left no property except his wearing apparel and some small personal trinkets, which were turned over to his nephew, Charles H. Farrell, who was here at the time, and who is registered in this Consulate General as residing at Boston.

From other, and many reliable sources, I learn that Mr. Farrell died from Dysentery, and also that he had a year or two prior to his death engaged in a

a business in Kobe, Japan, with Messrs Fogg & Co, which proved disastrous. This firm, which has a house in New York city, can give full information upon this point.

I further learn that there was a three thousand dollar ($3000) policy on Mr. Ferrell's life, in favor of John or James Barney of West Thirty Ninth New York City. Certificates of the death of Mr. Ferrell were made by Dr Little, his attending Physician, and sent to Mr. Barney.

I further learn that the financial affairs of Mr

Ferrell

were in such condition at
the time of his sickness
that a Guarantee of the
payment of the hospital
expenses was required.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Daniel H. Hail

New Consul General

Bureau of Accts
Shanghai
Bulwood

Washington. Janry. 18. 1849.
(no 630. 9th Street. N.W.)

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Honorable. Wm. M. Evarts.
Secretary of State.
Washington. D.C.

Sir.

I respectfully submit to you the following facts.

On the 31st. December 1878. I filed my account. for services as acting marshal at. Shanghai. with the Hon. Fifth Auditor and at the same time drew upon the Hon. Secty. of the Treasury for the amount of the same, viz ($.209.24) Two hundred and nine 24/100. being for (94) ninety four days. or. fraction of last quarter of 1878.
In support of this account I beg leave to respectfully inform you that I. was on the 1st. day of December. 1874. appointed acting marshal of the Court of the U.S. Consulate General at Shanghai by. H. Wiley Wells Esq. and have so been endorsed by Messrs. Stokel and Bailey —.
During the whole of this period I have received my salary regularly. from the

the funds appropriated by the Government for the pay of such officers.

I am at present on leave of absence granted by your Honorable self. for the purpose of permitting me to appear before the Committee on expenditures in the State Department. on a subpoena issued by the House of Representatives

Trusting that my account may receive your kind consideration.

I have the honor to be
Respectfully,
Your obedient servant
Bruce R. Lurio.

Rec'd Apl 8/79

Mr Wood

No. 112 Feb. 1st 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Vice Consul General. China to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of dispatch.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledges the receipt of Dispatch No. 1st

No. 42

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Feb. 1 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch of the 14th, bearing date December 7th 1878.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant.

Frank H. Lee

Vice Consul General

Ask - to comply C. P

Inclosed

No. 43.] Feby 4th 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey U. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject: Equivalents of the Tael

DEPARTMENT OF STATE MAR 13 1879 RECEIVED

Copy & Ext to Treasy Dept 3/6/79
Asked ofr 8th/79

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits copy of a letter from Low-Co and requests that the same be referred to the Secretary of the Treasury.

Inclosures

No 1 Copy of letter from Lawson Low & Co.

No. 43.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Feby 4th 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to inclose a copy of a letter from Messrs. Fearon Lor & Co relating to the equivalents value of the Tael in gold dollars. / 43.

I beg to request that it may be referred to the Secretary of the Treasury for his consideration.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your obedient Servant

Frank L. Hall

Acting Consul General

Copy

Shanghai January 28th 1878.

D. H. Bailey Esq
US Consul General
Dear Sir.

We beg to call your attention to the excessive charges in the Consular certificates to Invoices of goods to America, as the equivalents value in gold dollars of a Shanghai Tael - at present current rates of Exchange say 5/- per Tael for sight drafts on London, and $4.86 for sight drafts in London on Newyork = 1 Tael = $1.21 60/100 whereas its value is given in your certificates as $1.31 20/100 or say 10% above its real value and consequently all goods paying an ad valorem duty are over taxed to this extent. We understand that the equivalents of all foreign currencies in American Gold are fixed by the Treasury Department for purposes of levying duties, once a year. but when the difference in Exchange is so great, it may perhaps be practicable to have a readjustment of the rates.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully
D. Fearon Gow & Co.

Ack'd after Repd called for. Mr Wood

No. 44] Feby 4th 1879 United States Consulate at Shanghai,

Mr. Darby V Consul General to the State Department,

Subject: Quarterly returns 4th Qr. 1878

DEPARTMENT OF ST MAR 13 1879 RECEIVED

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits Returns 4th Qr. 1878

Shanghai

Enclosed

No 1. Form No 121, Second Am. Citizens file

" 2 " " 117 Digest of Service Book file

" 3 " " 105 Aggregate of all fees for 1878 file

" 4 " " 123 Persons employed in Consulate do

" 5 " " 120 Arrivals and Departures of Am. Vessels file

" 6 " " 90 Miscellaneous expenses (33 vouchers)

" 7 Special Clerk's Account (2 vouchers)

" 8 Interpreters Account 1 voucher

" 9 List of Letters received file

" 10 " " " sent do

No. 44

United States Consulate General

Shanghai, February 4th 1879

Hon. Chas. Payson

2nd Asst. Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith, enclosures Nos 1 to 10, my accounts and returns for the 4th quarter, ending Dec. 31st 1878, in accordance with Paragr. 379 of the Consular Regulations of 1874.

Voucher No. 6 is for a telegram to Nagasaki concerning the Consular Clerk.

Voucher No. 2, is for a telegram to Hong-Kong concerning original depositions in the "C.C. Wetmore" case

Vouchers Nos. 3 & 5 are for telegrams to Yokohama, concerning Special Clerk.

Voucher No. 4 is for a telegram to Yokoha-

replying to Admiral Patterson, concerning the navigation to Tiensin.

Vouchers Nos. 16 & 17 refer to the Chinese Writer. Owing to the situation here, I found it absolutely necessary to employ an additional writer and increased the salary from $20 to $25, which includes the extra help. I may mention in this connection that the British, French and German Consulates, employ each two writers, paying to each double the salary that I am paying.

With reference to the flagstaff &c. I found it had swerved and it was very considerably out of gear.

I have the honor to remain

Your Obedient Servt

Vice Consul-General

[Form No. 118.]

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~~NAME OF THE WRITER.~~ To whom sent	NO.	~~PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.~~ Where sent	WHEN ~~RECEIVED.~~ sent	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
Master of Ship Soule	11786	Shanghai	Oct 2	arrest of Hagan		
Collector of Customs	11787	New York	" "	Invoices		
" " "	11788	San Francisco	"	"		
"	11789	"	"	"		
State Dept	11790	Washington	"	Whitman's Case		
"	11791	"	"	Straits Repts		
U. S. Consul General	11792	Kanagawa	"	Destitute Seamen		
Capt. Fitzhugh	11793	Shanghai	" 5	Ak. Disp.		
Harbor Master	11794	"	" "	McDonald's Case		
Municipal Council	11795	"	" 7	McCarlin's Case		
Capt. Fitzhugh	11796	"	" "	arrest deserters		
" Delano	11797	"	" 8	" Buckley		
Consul	11798	Amoy	" "	Ak Disp -		
Taotai	11799	Shanghai		Mixed Land		

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~~NAME OF THE WRITER.~~ To Whom	NO.	~~PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.~~ Where sent	WHEN ~~RECEIVED.~~ When	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
W. M. Springer	11813	Washington	Oct. 14	Subpoena Cons Records		
Collector Customs	11814	New York	" "	Invoices		
"	11815	San Francisco	" "	"		
State Depat	11816	Washington	" "	Sub. Cons Records		
Capt. Fitzhugh	11817	Shanghai	" 15	Case of Burton		
A. M. Colfort	11818	Chefoo	" "	Hays Estate		
E. H. Thomson	11819	Shanghai	" "	" "		
C. Holcombe	11820	Peking	" 16	Abs despatches		
Capt. Fitzhugh	11821	Shanghai	" "	Deserters		
"	11822	"	" "	Endorsement of Ruling		
Taotai	11823	"	" 18	Landing order		
Mr Cheshire	11824	Foochow	" "	Appt. Interpreter		
Sharp & Co	11825	Hong-Kong	" 18	Charter Claim		

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~~Name of the Writer.~~ To Whom	No.	~~Place and Date of Letter.~~ Where sent	When ~~Received.~~ sent	On what subject.	No. of Enclosures.	Remarks.
Capt. Fitzhugh	1826	Shanghai	Oct. 19	arrest of deserter		
Consul	1827	Foochow	" 21	Passports		
"	1828	New Chwang	" 21	Ab Desp Lists		
Chas. Holcombe	1829	Peking	" 22	" "		
Consul	1830	Hankow	"	" "		
"	1831	Canton	" 23	" "		
Tseng	1832	Shanghai	" 24	Illness		
C. Holcombe	1833	Peking	" "	Re- to Amoy Cons.		
Consul	1834	Amoy	" 24	Ab rcpt Cons.		
J. Walter	1840	Shanghai	" 25	Apps Seward & Bradford		
E. L. Bouillemont	1841	"	" "	" "		
Capt Fitzhugh	1842	"	" "	Deserter from Golden State		
Consul	1843	Chinkiang	" "	Rcpts Disbursements		

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~~NAME OF THE WRITER.~~ To Whom	NO.	~~PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.~~ Where sent	WHEN ~~RECEIVED.~~ Sent	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
L. W. Cowie	11844	Shanghai	Oct. 26	McDonalds Case		
Capt. Fitzhugh	11845	"	" "	Deserters		
Consul	11846	Canton	" 27	Abs. dispatches		
Taotai	11847	Shanghai	" "	Murray's land		
Chen	11848	"	" 28	visit of ceremony		
Consul	11849	Foochow	" 29	Passports		
"	11850	"	Nov. 1	"		
J. C. Parks	11867	Searsport Maine	" 2	Death of brother		
Farnham & Co	11857	Shanghai	" 6	Customs duty		
C. Holcombe	11853	Peking	" 6	Abs. dispatches		
J. D. Weld	11854	Shanghai	" 7	Passport		
J. H. Hart	11855	"	" 7	Ship Martha		
Consul	11856	Canton	" 7	Abs. dispt.		

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~~Name of the Writer.~~ To whom	No.	~~Place and Date of Letter.~~ Where sent	When ~~Received.~~ sent	On what subject.	No. of Enclosures.	Remarks.
Consul	1867	Hankow	Nov. 7	ak dispatches		
"	1868	Canton	" 9	Trans. Disp & Stratton		
Farnham & Co	1869	Shanghai	" "	Ship Martha		
Consul	1860	Kobe	" "	~~Trans~~ Rr. to Ltr. 3d Dr. 1878		
"	1861	Amoy	" "	ak dispatches		
C. P. Batten	1862	Shanghai	" 12	Whalers Guarantee		
Consul General	1863	Yokohama	" 13	Germans Claim		
Consul	1864	Foochow	" 15	ak. disp.		
"	1865	Canton	" "	" "		
" General	1866	Yokohama	" 16	Whalers discharge		
Tientsin	1867	Shanghai	" 16	Customs Laws		
"	1868	"	" 19	Passport		
W. M. Spring	1869	Washington	" "	Rr. to ltr. Seward & Bradford		

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~~NAME OF THE WRITER.~~ To Whom	NO.	~~PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.~~ Where sent	WHEN ~~RECEIVED.~~ Sent	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
W. Woodhull	11870	Nagasaki	Nov. 21	Abs despatch		
Consul	11871	Nagasaki	" "	" "		
British Cons	11872	Shanghai	" 23	Wages + dis. of Clough		
C. Pennfold	11873	"	" "	Passports		
Consul	11874	Hankow	" "	Abs. dish.		
"	11875	Foochow	" "	" "		
"	11876	Canton	" 26	" "		
Iveron Co	11877	Shanghai	" 27	Re Telegram to Hankow		
J. Buchanan	11878	"	" 28	" " " "		
H. Lester	11879	"	" 29	Invts to Estate		
Consul	11880	Foochow	" 30	Re to assuming chge of Consulate		
J. F. Elmore	11881	Peking	" "	Abs. letter		
"	11882	"	" "	Mails		

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~~NAME OF THE WRITER.~~ To Whom	NO.	~~PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.~~ Where sent	WHEN ~~RECEIVED.~~ Sent.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
Mr. Crowe	11882	Shanghai	Nov. 30	Rungs suits vs Heard		
J. S. Green	11884	Tientsin	" "	Mails		
C. Holcombe	11885	Peking	" "	Ab deshalotes		
"	11886	"	" "	" "		
"	11887	"	" "	" "		
J. H. Blackfan	11888	Washington	" "	Ab Repts deshalotes		
Consul	11889	Kobe	" "	Connors case		
"	11890	Tientsin	Dec. 2	" "		
St. Depat	11891	Washington	" "	Frays Estate		
"	11892	"	" 3	Ab 1 cpt Circulars		
"	11893	"	" 3	" deshalotes		
"	11894	"	" 4	Symonds Estate		
J. H. Blackfan	11895	"	" 4	Ab. 1 cpt P Guides		

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~~Name of the Writer~~ To Whom	No.	~~Place and Date of Letter~~ Where Sent	When ~~Received~~ Sent	On what subject.	No. of Enclosures.	Remarks.
J. H. Patterson	11896	Yokohama	Dec. 6	Mayhead's wages		
St. Depat	11897	Washington	" "	Draft of Money		
Legation	11898	Peking	" "	Gormans claim		
Iverson Co	11899	Shanghai	" "	Smiths Estate		
R. E. Wainwright	11900	"	" "	Wheatons Int. Law		
Consul	11901	Canton	" "	Ak. desk.		
"	11902	"	" 7	" "		
"	11903	Amoy	" 7	" "		
J. C. Bissett	11904	Aberdeen Scotland	" 10	Smiths Estate		
Thomas Hanbury	11905	"	" 10	" "		
Taotai	11906	Shanghai	" 10	Forbes claim		
R. Nelson	11907	"	" 10	donation to Hack.		
Taotai	11908	"	" 11	" "		

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~~NAME OF THE WRITER.~~ To Whom	NO.	~~PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.~~ Where sent	WHEN ~~RECEIVED.~~ sent.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
Legation	11909	Peking	Dec. 12	Mr. Chalmers affy		
Consul-General	11910	Yokohama	" 13	Wheaton's Effects		
J. H. Hart	11911	Shanghai	" "	Customs dues		
Consul	11912	Canton	" 14	Passport		
Russell & Co	11913	Shanghai	" 17	Forbes claim		
Taotai	11914	"	" 19	Passport		
Consul	11915	Hankow	" 19	Mooney's will		
Siemssen & Co	11916	Shanghai	" 20	Heard & Co's draft		
V. Consul	11917	Foochow	" 20	Effects of Davis Estate		
W. Drummond	11918	Shanghai	" "	Forbes claim		
Taotai	11919	"	" 21	" "		
Consul	11920	Tientsin	" 23	Connors claim		
"	11921	Hiogo	" "	McGrath's claim		

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NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN ~~RECEIVED~~ Sent	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
Taotai	11922	Shanghai	Dec. 24	Recpt of Hosp. Don.		
Br. Consul	11923	"	" 30	Ak Wapo of Clough		
C Kalkoven	11924	Peking	" 31	Mr Cushmans appt		
Consul	11925	Nankow	" "	Ak. Desk.		
Consul	11926	Newchwang	" "	Octob Boat to Knight		
J.A. Patterson	11927	Yokohama	" "	Wapo of Mayhead		
Ship. Com.	11928	New York	" "	Pub due Johnson		
Judge Woolsey	11929	"	" "	Death of Hagan		
Mrs Hagan	11930	E Boothbay Me.	" "	" " "		

David Shiverick Consul General.

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NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN RECEIVED.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
US V Consul	7695	Hong Kong Sept 28	Oct 1	Ack. Notice Mr Bartlett's	—	
US Consul	7696	Ningpo " 30	" "	" " Mr B's Chg	—	
US Consul	7697	Foochow " 28.	" "	" " " " " "	—	
D. F. Macgowan	7698	Shanghai Oct. 2.	" 2	D. Wood Wants Letter	1	
Consular Agent	7699	Chefoo Sept 14	" 3	Rep. Minions	2	
US Consul	7700	Tientsin " 28	" "	Re to Mr Bailey Acting Chg		
State Dep'ts.	7701	Washington July 29	" "	Taken into Trans Sending Correspondence		
A.R. Kopp	7702	Yokohama Aug 12	" "	Asking for Chinese Newspaper		
Tautai	7703	Shanghai Oct 3	" 4	Chinese Acts Authorizations	1	
M. Consul	7704	" " 4	" "	McCarthies Taxes		
Capt Fitzhugh	7705	" " 5	" 5	Rewards for deserters		
Dr Fischer	7706	Nagasaki " 5	" "	Relating to Catching Mr Lemos Slaves		
Harbor Master	7707	Shanghai " 5	" "	McDonalds Case		
4			" 7			

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NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN RECEIVED.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
Taotai	7708	Shanghai Oct 6th	Oct 7	Arrest of "Harlow"		
U.S. Consul	7709	Amoy Oct 3	" 8	Ack. Mr B in chge		
U.S. Consul	7710	" No date	" "	Trans. des. to Legn St Depts	2	
Capt Fitzhugh	7711	Shanghai Oct 8th	" "	Rewards for arrn		
Harbor Master	7712	" " 8	" "	McDonalds Claim		
U.S. Consul	7713	Amoy Oct 7	" 9	Ack Mr. B in chg.		
P.R. Lewis	7714	Shanghai " 4	" 4	Asks leave of absence &c	Enclosure	
L.F. Coffey	7715	" " "	" "	" " "	1	
Capt Fitzhugh	7716	" " 10	" 10	Re - to deserters	1	
John A Brigham	7717	Yokohama Sept 27	" 10	Ack Mr B taking chg	1	
S.A. Patterson	7718	Yokohama Oct 2	" "	Affairs at Foochow	1	
L.F. Shepherd	7719	Hankow " 2	" "	Trans mc. to St Depts	3	
L.F. Shepherd	7720	" " "	" "	Mr B taking chg.	1	

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NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN RECEIVED.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
E.C. Lord	7721	Ningpo Oct 10	Oct 11	Trans Enc to St Dept Ltr	13	
Steward Sailor Interpreter	7722	Hongkong " 6	" 12	Claim Forwarded	1	
Capt. Fitzhugh	7723	Shanghai " 13	" 13	Remarks for Quarter	13	
Wm Smith	7724	Hankow " 10	" 14	Forwards Ltr & Claim	1	
O.N. Denny	7725	Tientsin " 5	" "	Trans Enc to Treasury	3	
Chester Holcombe	7726	Peking Oct 4	" "	Trans Enc. to Depart	2	
W.E. Fitzhugh	7727	Shanghai " 14	" "	Returns	4	
J.H. Wilson	7728	" " 12	" 14	Affairs Relative to Flag		
A.R. Lewis	7729	" " 11	" 12	Leave of Absence		
J.F. Coffey	7730	" " 11	" "	" " "		
A.W. Eckford	7731	Chefoo " 12	" 14	Estate of Flag		
F. Bandinel	7732	Newchwang " 8	" "	Mr B taking Charge		
W.E. Fitzhugh	7733	Shanghai " 14	" "	Re Salary to Enclosing J. Burton		

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NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN RECEIVED.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
E.H. Thompson	7734	Shanghai Oct 14	Oct 14	Estate of Ray		
C.P. Lincoln	7735	Hankow " 15	" 17	Rm. des. to Leg.	1	
W.E. Fitzhugh	7736	Shanghai " 18	" 18	Shipping storage		
Knight Bros	7737	" " "	" "	Landing permits		
G.E. Thornton	7738	" " 13	" "	Ack. rect of Cover		
J.H. Ela	7739	Washington Sept 9	" "	Rept des Seamen Dec 31 1878		
H Selden Lorenz	7740	Hong Kong Oct 7	" "	Ack rect telegram		
Wm M Springer	7741	Washington July 30	" 17	Rm. drafts for Cons Office	2	
Wm. M. Springer	7742	" " 31	" "	Subpoena for depos		
Wm M Evarts	7743	Washington Aug 8	" "	Trans Rm. from Mr Springer	2	
J B Harvey	7744	" " 27	" 20	Trans circular		
F W. Seward	7745	" " 21	" 20	Ack rect circular		
Wm M Evarts	7746	" " 8	" "	Trans does Mr Springer		

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J. D. Clusbury	7747	Foochow Oct 7	Oct 20	Appt as Interpreter		
W. E. Fetchugh	7748	Shanghai " 19	" 20	Accounts	6	
M. M. Delano	7749	Foochow " 17	" 21	Trade Reports	2	
W. E. Fetchugh	7750	Shanghai " 21	" "	Trans Corres'd to Dept	4	
M. M. Delano	7751	Foochow " 16	" "	Mail Matter		
Fred Bandinel	7752	Newchwang " 15	" 22	Receipt of Gun Metals &c		
C. L. Morano	7753	Tientsin " 17	" "	Mr Bailey's Commission	1	
J. R. Elmore	7754	Peking " 7	" "	Knights Furniture		
Charles Holcombe	7755	" " 10	" "	Trans for. to Leg.	3	
Taotai	7756	Shanghai " 21	" "	Trans dis. to Leg	1	
J. F. Hubbard	7757	Hankow " 18	" 23	Mr B. Calling Chg.		
C. P. Lincoln	7758	Canton " 12	" "	Trans Disp to Dept	2	
J. Heine	7759	Shanghai " 23	" "	Asks Instructions as Attorney of Ray Estate Customs Barrier Regulations		
J. B. VanBuren	7760	Yokohama " 14	" 24	Mr B. Calling Chg		
C. J. Henderson	7761	Amoy " 9	" "	Trans Rets to Dept		
Taotai	7762	Shanghai " 23	" "	Customs Barrier Regulations		

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A. Lincoln	7765	Canton Sept 28	Oct 25	Mr. Bailey taking charge		
J. C. S. Colby	7766	Amoy " 26	" 26	Transmitting dispat. to Legation	1	
W. E. Fitzhugh	7767	Shanghai Oct 26	" "	Rel. to Wm. Devine		
Tautai	7768	" " "	" "	Notice of procession		
Mong Long Dong	7769	" " 26	" "	Increase Salary		
J. F. Shepard	7770	Hankow " 23	" 28	Registered letter Mr. Halsey		
C. Halcombe	7771	Peking " 29	" "	Sealed desp. from Amoy		
C. Halcombe	7772	" " 19	" "	Fisher's Claim		
E. J. Vanalleman	7773	Shanghai 28	" "	Lenard & Bradfords Bill Acct		
John Walter	7774	" " 28	" "	"		
J. D. Weld	7775	" " 29	" 29	Passports		
M. M. Delano	7776	Foochow " 26	" "	"		
M. M. Delano	7777	" " "	" 4	Receipt of Passports		
			" 30			

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C.C. Lincoln	7778	Canton Oct 14	Oct 30	Transm. Accts 2nd Quar.	2	
Chung Han	7779	Shanghai " 30	" "	Visit of Mr. Bailey		
Tan Tai	7780	" " 31	" "	Ship Harbe		
Capt Fales	7781	" Nov 2	Nov 2	Deserter		
F.B. Thurber	7782	Yokohama Oct 24	" "	Receipt of Despatches		
S.M. Bryan	7783	" " 22	" "	Postal Affairs		
W. Hunter	7784	Washington Sept 9	" "	~~Letter~~ J. Stahels Accts		
A.G. Porter	7785	" " 10	" "	~~Death of~~ Accounts of J. Stahel ~~Death of P.O.~~		
I.L. Park	7786	Searsport Me Sept 11	" "	~~Death of~~ Death of Park ~~Treasury Circular~~		
John Sherman	7787	Washington " 4	" "	~~Tax Estate~~ Treasury Circular Tax Estate		
A.M. Eckford	7788	Chefoo Nov. 18	" 5-	~~Customs Duties~~ Customs Duties		
C Holcombe	7789	Atlanta Oct. 26	" "	~~Ship~~ Ship Martha		
C P Bleecker	7790	Shanghai Nov. 4	" "	~~Passports~~ Passports		

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I.D.Reid	7791	Shanhai Nov. 6.	Nov 7	Passports Despatches to Legation		
C.P.Lincoln	7792	Canton Oct. 23	" "	Despatches to Leg.	5	
J.F.Shephard	7793	Hankow " 27	" "	"		
C.P.Lincoln	7794	Canton Oct. 24	" "	Consul. Agency Swatow		
J.H.Hart	7795	Shanghai Nov. 6	" "	Ship Martha		
Tautai	7796	" " 6	" "	Title Deed		
J.J.Henderson	7797	Amoy Nov 2	" "	Trade Reports		
J.A.VanBuren	7798	Yokohama Oct 29	" 8	Wheaton's Discharge		
J.A.VanBuren	7799	" " 30	" "	Gorman's Claim		
M.M.Dyland	7800	Hankow Nov 5	" "	Postal Matters		
C.P.Lincoln	7801	Canton " 1	" "	Despatch to Leg.	3	
Tautai	7802	Shanghai " 9	" "	Veterans Deeds		
Tautai	7803	" " 11	" "	"		

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C. Bluhm	7804	Shanghai Nov 11	Nov 11	Wheaton guarantee		
W. S. Wilmot	7805	" " 11	" "	Title Deeds		
G. L. Wood	7806	" " 11	" "	Partnership		
Comm'r Hongkong	7807	" " 12	" 12	Ship Matka		
W. H. Woodhull	7808	Nagasaki " 11	" "	Package to Palos		
E. C. Lord	7809	Nagpo " 14	" 14	Despatch to St. Depat.	1	
Dr Little Jamieson & McLean	7810	Shanghai " 18	" 15	Sickness of E. M. Smith		
L. Gibson	7811	Swatow " 17	" 18	Via Palos Mails		
C. Holcombe	7812	Ningpo " 4	" "	Nos. of Despatches		
C. Holcombe	7813	" " 11	" "	Henderson scale cover		
M. M. Orbano	7814	Foochow " 18	" "	Mr. Chester taking charge		
J. F. Shepard	7815	Hankow " 16	" 20	Russell & Co's claim	1	
W. D. Spence	7816	Shanghai " 19	" "	Receipt of Moneys	1	

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C. P. Lincoln	7817	Canton Nov 14	Nov. 20	Kwangsi Swatow Cons. Agency		
Imson & Co	7818	Shanghai " 26.	" 22	Smith's Estate		
Imson & Co	7819	" " "	" 26	"		
F. D. Chisholm	7820	Foochow " 20	" "	Assuming charge		
O. N. Denny	7821	Tientsin " 22	" 27	Claim against Connor	1	
C. Holcombe	7822	Peking " 18	" 28	Receipt of despatches	2	
C. Holcombe	7823	" " " "	" "	Swatow Consulate	1	
J. G. Imson	7824	Tientsin " 22	" "	Palos Mail		
Conrad Hemenway	7825	Shanghai " 29	" 29	Kiyamilla vs. Head		
P. O. Dept	7826	Washington Oct 11	" "	Postal Guide		
Treas Dept	7827	" " Sept 26	" "	J. Stahel Acct		
Treas Dept	7828	" " Oct 11	" "	Rel. to U. Consul-General		
St. Dept	7829	" " Sept 27	" "	Receipt of despatches		

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H. E. Ellmore	7830	Ningpo Nov 13	Nov 29	Mail Matters		
C. Kalamaker	7831	" " 20	" "	Blank Passports	10	
C. Kalamaker	7832	" " 25	Dec 2	Germans Claim		
Dyson & Co	7833	Shanghai Dec 3	" 3	Smith's Estate		
Dyson & Co	7834	" " 4	" 4	"		
J. L. Henderson	7835	Amoy Nov 30	" 6	Despatch to St. Depat.	1	
C. P. Lincoln	7836	Canton " 28	" "	" to Leg	2	
C. P. Lincoln	7837	" " 28	" "	" " St. Depat.	1	
J. Brandburn	7838	" " 27	" "	Wheaton's Discharge		
F. D. Chesheir	7839	Foochow " 30	" 7	Will of Davis	1	
Sautai	7840	Shanghai Dec 7	" 9	Murrays Land		
R. Nilson	7842	" " 9	" 11	Donation to Hospital		
Sautai	7842	" " 11	" "	Forbes Claim		

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C. P. Lincoln	7843	Canton Nov 9	Dec 13	~~Davidson's draft~~ Passport		
Lammert & Co	7844	Shanghai Dec 13	" 16	Davidson's draft	1	
M. S. Yates	7845	" Nov 30	" 18	S— Lords Marriage	1	
F. Baudinel	7846	Ningchwang " 29	" 19	Pilot Boat F. S. Knight		
L. Mabel	7847	Ningpo " 13	" 20	Conner's Claim	1	
Taotai	7848	Shanghai Dec 16	" "	Donation to Hospital	1	
W. W. Drummond	7849	" " 18	" 21	Russell & Co Claim		
C. Holcombe	7860	Pekin " 9	" "	Receipt of Despatches		
C. Holcombe	7867	" " "	" "	Chesbrough Bond		
Taotai	7862	Shang. " 20	" "	Marriage Deed		
W. D. Spence	7863	" " 21	" 23	Clough & Wages	2	
J. F. Shepard	7864	Hankow " 8	" "	Mowey's Bill	2	
J. W. Helmkurtz	7865	Shanghai " 21	" "	Netherlands Consulate		

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NAME OF THE WRITER.	NO.	PLACE AND DATE OF LETTER.	WHEN RECEIVED.	ON WHAT SUBJECT.	No. of Enclosures.	REMARKS.
F. D Chesbro	7856	Woodbury Dec. 20.	Dec 28	Passport	1	
Chas Payson	7857	Washington Nov. 8.	" "	Receipt of Despatches		
" "	7858	" " 8	" "	"		
" "	7859	" Oct 30	" "	"		
" "	7860	" " 13	" "	"		
J. F. Shepard	7861	Hankow Dec 25	" "	Despatches	1	
E. P. Whitehead	7862	Yokohama " 25.	" "	Mayhews Wages		

United States Consul General.

U.S. Consulate
Shanghai China

Inclosure No. 9.

with Despatch
No. 441

Letters Rec'd 4th 2nd
1878

(Form No. 121.)

NAMES of all Deceased American Citizens, including Seamen or Mariners, together with the value of the personal effects belonging to them, and taken possession of by or deposited with D. H. Bailey,
U. S. Consul General at Shanghai, from October 1st to Dec. 31st, inclusive.

DATE OF DECEASE.		NAMES OF PERSONS.	OF WHAT PLACE A NATIVE OR RESIDENT.	IF A SEAMAN, TO WHAT VESSEL BELONGING.	WHERE DECEASED.	VALUE OF EFFECTS.	DISPOSITION MADE THEREOF.
October	5	Lydia May Fay	Native of U.S. Resident in Chefoo		Chefoo	Unsettled	
"	25	Andrew Hagan	United States	Golden State	Shanghai	$96.99	Remitted to Dis. Court S. Dist. New York. In possession of Capt.
"	28	Frank Deutsch	Prussia	Mary Whitrige	At Sea		
Nov	1	Isabella F. Steele	Native U.S. Resident	Shanghai	Shanghai	In the hands of her husband	
"	18	E. M. Smith	" " "	"	"	Unsettled.	
"	27	J. H. Mooney	Citizen U.S. "	"	"	In possession of his wife	

U. S. Consul

Deceased Am. Citizens
4th Quarter 1878
Shanghai

Enclosure No 1
Despatch No. 44

Romans 12

Rec'd April 8/79
/ Wood

No. 45] February 21st 1879 United States Consulate at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of Department despatch no. 15

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledges receipt of despatch and notes contents.

See Dispatch 58.

No. 45

United States Consulate,

Shanghai, February 21st 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch no. 15, bearing date Dec. 18th 1878, enclosing a copy of a letter from the Secretary of the Treasury relative to a rebate of duties on certain materials + used at Boston, in the construction and + equipment of the bark 'Freeman'.

I have noted that portion therein, relating to the endorsement to be made on the Register of the "Freeman", and to the last paragraph thereof requesting a + report of my action in the premises. +

I shall comply therewith as soon as

the vessel arrives in this port.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your obedient Servant

David H. Hall

Vice Consul General

Rec'd Apl 8th 1879

Mr Hoot

No. 46] February 21st 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Receipt of despatch.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
MAR
29
1879
RECEIVED

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledges receipt of despatch

No. 46

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, February 2nd 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch no. 13, dated Dec. 14th, 1878 + relating to the receipt of my numbers 12 and 13.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Frank Lee Hall

Vice Consul General.

Consuls.

Copy to Treasury March 31. 1879

Ack 4/2/79

Wood

No. 47] February 21 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey U. Consul General. to the State Department,

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
MAR 29 1879
RECEIVED

Subject:— Equivalent value of Shanghai tael in U. S. gold.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits a letter from Mess. Fraser & Co. for the consideration of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Inclosure

No. 1. Copy letter from Fraser & Co.

No. 47

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, February 27 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Referring to my despatch no. 43, relating to the equivalent value of the Shanghae tael in United States gold, as established by the Secretary of the Treasury, I have the honor to transmit herewith, a copy of a letter from Mess. Frazar & Co. Merchants, and request that it may be forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury for his action.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your obedient servant

David D. Sickels

Vice Consul General.

Copy

Shanghai 17 Feb. 1879

D. H. Bailey Esq.
U.S. Vice Consul General.
Shanghai.

Sir:

Our New York correspondents call our attention to the valuation of the Shanghai tael in United States gold dollars given in certificates to invoices issued from your office, which is stated to be 131 2/10 cents. — whereas, owing to the decline in exchange, it is in fact much less than such value. Thus taking the demand rate on New York to be ℔ 83 1/2 per 100 gold as given in the exchange report in the daily News of the 15th. current, the value of the tael, would be about $1 1/20 showing a difference of nearly ten per cent, which materially increases the duty on such goods as straw braid, which we have been in the habit of shipping to New York and our correspondents would like a — certificate from you if it can be granted stating that the value in previous certificates was erroneous so that they may be able to recover the excess of duty paid by them on shipments of straw braid made to them

this season.

We remain

Sir.

Your obedient servants

(Signed) Fraser & Co.

Rec'd Apl 8, 79 H Wood

No. 48] Feby 21st 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Death of Louis W Paul

PORT MISSING
MAR 29 1879
RECEIVED

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Reports the death of Captain Paul.

Entered & Published Apl 1. 79.

No. 48.

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Feby 21st 1879

Hon. Charles Cayon

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I regret to have to report the death of Josiah W. Paul of Shanghai, which occurred at Kaukow on the 13th instant. Captain Paul was a native of Maine and aged 59 years. He was one of the oldest ship-masters in the East. He had formerly commanded some of the largest of the Clipper ships engaged in the Pacific trade. For several years last past he had commanded one

of the Steamers running from this port to Hankow.

Captain Paul was universally respected and esteemed.

He leaves a Wife, but, who by his Will is made sole Executrix of his Estate.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Lieut Col. Hay

Vice Consul General

Acted
Apl 8th 1879.
Mrs Armstrong
mother & Apl 8/79
Mrood

No. 49] February 21st 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
MAR
29
1879
RECEIVED

Mr. Bailey V. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Death of J. H. Armstrong.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Reports the death of J. H. Armstrong Jany.
26th 1879

Entered & Published
Apr. 1. 79.

No. 49

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, February 21st 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I regret to have to report the death of J.H. Armstrong, a native of Michigan, and a citizen of California.

He died in Shanghai, January 26th 1879. He has a brother living in Chicago and a mother and sister in New Carlisle Indiana.

He was 36 years of age and a barber by occupation.

His estate is quite inconsiderable, and he was considerably involved.

When ascertained I shall report upon the condition of his affairs.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your obedient servant

David L. Swain

Vice Consul General.

Rec'd Apr 8/79

Wood

No. 50] Feby 21 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Paul F. Consul General. to the State Department,

Subject:— Marriage Certificates,

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits Marriage Certificates of E. S. Dregan and Isabel S. Flowers, and also that of Joseph V. Garrett and Alice Russell.

Inclosures

No. 1 Marriage Certificate of E. S. Dregan and I. S. Flowers.

Enclosure

No. 2. Marriage Certificate of J. V. Garrett and Alice Russell.

No. 50

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, Feby 21 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith the Marriage Certificate of Ed. Dreyau and Isabel L. Flowers, and also that of Joseph F. Garrett and Alice Russell.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Fred A. Bee

Acting Consul General

CERTIFICATE

of

MARRIAGE.

Consulate General of the United States,

Shanghai, China, February 19th, 1879.

I, David H. Bailey, Vice CONSUL GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES at Shanghai, do hereby certify that on this 19th day of February, A.D. 1879, at the ~~residence~~ Church of the Saviour, in the city of Shanghai Jos. V. Garrett aged 42 years, born in New Jersey, and now residing at Shanghai and Alice Russell born in Shanghai and now residing in Shanghai were united in marriage before me, and in my presence, by Rev. R. Nelson, who is authorized by the laws of United States to perform such a ceremony.

In witness whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the CONSULATE GENERAL AT SHANGHAI this 19th day of February, A.D. 1879, and of the Independence of the United States the 103rd.

David H. Bailey

V. Consul General.

CERTIFICATE

of

MARRIAGE.

Consulate General of the United States,

Shanghai, China, February 5th, 1879

I, David H. Bailey, Vice CONSUL GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES at Shanghai, do hereby certify that on this 5th day of February, A.D. 1879, at the residence of M. J. Patterson, in the city of Shanghai E. J. Dugan aged 36 years, born in Rhode Island, and now residing at Shanghai and Isabel J. Howers, born in Belfast, Maine and now residing in Shanghai were united in marriage before me, and in my presence, by Rev. R. Nelson, who is authorized by the laws of United States to perform such a ceremony.

In witness whereof I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the CONSULATE GENERAL AT SHANGHAI this 5th day of February, A.D. 1879, and of the Independence of the United States the 103rd.

David H. Bailey

V. Consul General.

"Shanghai"

Mood

Addressed June 11, 1879

No 1.

Reading, Pa March 5th 1879.

Hon

Wm. M. Evarts

Secretary of State

Sir:

I have the honor to notify you that having been diligently engaged in the defence of the honor and integrity of the Government of the United States, in regard to the Consulate General upon charges brought by me to the notice of the President and Secretary of State, and finally to the House of Representatives and by the House referred to the Committee on Expenditures of the State Department for investigation, and after such investigation, that Committee unanimously decided to Report Articles of impeachment to the House against George F. Seward, late Consul General at Shanghai and now Minister to Pekin and against O. B. Bradford, Vice Consul General at Shanghai, for high crimes and Misdemeanors in office, and having thus successfully discharged my duty in that regard, I am now ready to proceed to Shanghai to enter upon my duties as Consul General

I have the honor to be, Sir

Your obedient Servant

John C. Myers, Consul General

Ack re
L. P.

Rec'd July 14/79

No. 57. March 6th 1879

United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Payton V. Consul General. to the State Department,

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
APR 19 1879
RECEIVED

Subject:— Inventory of Effects of Estate of J. F. Armstrong

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Transmits Inventory of effects of Estate.

Enclosures

No. 1. Coby Inventory.

No. 57

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, March 6th 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

First Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

Referring to my despatch No. 49, dated the 31st Ultimo relating to the death of James H. Armstrong, I now have the honor to transmit, herewith, a copy of the inventory and appraisal of his effects.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant

Frank H. Hall

Vice Consul General

Inventory and appraisal of the effects of
J. H. Armstrong, (deceased)

	Articles.	Dlls.	cts.
1	Hat and Umbrella Stand	5	00
2	Sofa (Reps)	16	00
3	2 Easy Chairs (Reps)	14	00
4	1 Arm " (Cane)	1	00
5	2 Easy Chairs "	2	00
6	1 Barber " (complete)	12	00
7	1 " " "	12	00
8	1 Mirror (24 in X 36 in.)	8	00
9	1 " (Large) (45 in. X 70 in about)	45	00
10	5 Oil Paintings and Frames	15	00
11	1 Pair Curtains (Reps)	5	00
12	1 Center Table	6	00
13	1 Card "	5	00
14	1 Iron Bedstead	6	00
15	1 Cair Rug.	—	40
16	1 Center Gas Chandelier (Globes 5)	18	00
17	2 Towel Bases	12	00
18	6 pair of ½ Curtains (Muslin)	1	00
19	1 Marble Top Washing Stand (3 Bowls)	25	00
20	1 Show Case and Table	12	00
21	1 Bamboo Stand	—	50
22	1 Chest of Drawers	5	00
23	1 Looking Glass (small)	3	00
24	2 S. P. Candle Sticks (Glass)	—	50
25	1 Commode	2	00
26	1 Trunk	3	00
27	2 Cuspadores		50
28	1 Show Case - Claimed by Mr. Strahan		
	Amount Carried Forward	$ 234.	90

Articles.	Lbs.	cts.
Amount Brought Forward	234	90
1 Wash Stand (common)		1 00
1 Gas cooking stove and boiler		2 50
1 Water Rong		— 50
1 Punkah &c. (Complete)		3 00
1 Large Water Tank, Zinc lined, and piping		2 00
½ Basket of Coal		— 30
1 Small Shower Bath & piping		1 00
1 Step Ladder		1 00
1 Square Platform		— 50
1 Oil Can		— 20
1 Corn Broom		— 10
2 Wisp "		— 25
4 Shaving Brushes		— 30
1 Chinese Chopper		— 20
4 Zinc Slop Buckets		1 00
28 Shaving Cups		2 80
Empty Bottles (lot)		25
8 Bottles Hair Wash - (or oil)		1 00
2 " Lubins Extract		00
3 Metal Buff Boxes		1 50
2 Wood " "		1 00
6 Boxes Rice Powder		1 00
1 Box of False Hair		1 00
2 ½ doors (Glass)		2 00
42 Face Towels		2 00
3 Hair Cutting Napkins		— 50
8 Razors		4 00
4 Hair Brushes & comb		— 30
1 " Shears		— 60
1 Odorator		— 00
1 Revolver (Colts)		8 00
Amount Carried Forward	275	60

Articles.	Rs.	cts.
Amount Brought Forward	275	60
2 Curling Irons	1	00
3 Oil Stones	1	50
1 Box of Colors + Brushes	-	25
1 Sap. Jack Stone	-	25
1 Box of Sundries.	-	20
4 Blanks of I.O.V.!	-	40
1 Lot of Photographs	1	00
9 Pkgs of Envelopes	-	25
1 Ruler	-	25
1 Card Box	-	25
1 Chinese Teapot	-	10
1 Corkscrew	-	10
1 Umbrella	-	50
4 S. P. Spoons	-	50
1 Knife and Fork	-	25
1 Fancy Sapr. Box	-	50
1 Box and 6 Dice	-	20
1 pr. Spectacles (Colored)	-	25
1 American Clock	1	50
4 Candles	-	20
1 Lot of Clothing - Shirts, Pants, &c.	5	00
1 Silver Mounted Cane	-	25
1 Skin Cap	-	25
Total.	290	55
Accounts due		
Captain Nelson	1	25
P. W. Kenton Esq.	4	00
John Thurston "	9	50
John Bailey "	-	75
John Shadgett "	1	25
C. W. Kay "	1	75
Amount Carried Forward	18	50

	dolls.	cts.
Amount Brought Forward	18	00
C. M. Martin	5	00
Dr. Sloan	12	50
B. Strachan Esq.	9	50
Total	45	50

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this 1st day of Feby.
A. D. 1879

(Sd) H. Latham
Clerk of Court.

(Sd) W. H. Corr
" J. J. McGrath.

Shanghai, China.

Enclosure No. 1 with
Despatch No. 57

Mr Flood

Rec'd May 24 '79

No. 82] Mar 7th 1879 United States Consulate General at Shanghai,

Mr. Bailey Consul General. to the State Department,

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Subject:— Accounts for Communications which were sent to Ningpo Ichang & Hankow.

ABSTRACT OF CONTENTS.

Acknowledges receipt of No 16.

Encloses receipt.

No. 52

United States Consulate General,

Shanghai, March 7th 1879

Hon. Charles Payson

Third Assistant Secretary of State,

Washington, D.C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 16. dated 13th January 1879. relating to my accounts for confirmation while receiving instructions and during the transit to my post of duty, as Consul General, from Paris to Shanghai.

I enclose herewith the receipts, duly signed, for the amounts allowed.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Frank H. Smith

Vice Consul General

Inclosure

No. 1 Voucher for expenses incurred

making journey from Paris to Shanghai

Mr Wood.

Memo. for record.

Mr. J. Coleman, of Carpenter & Coleman, Attorneys at law, called upon the Secretary of State, to-day, with a power of attorney from John C. Myers to collect $2293.81, appropriated by the Sundry Civil Bill approved March 3, 1879, in full compensation to Mr. Myers for amount due him on settlement of his accounts as Consul General at Shanghai.

The Secretary signed the formal requisition upon the Treasury for the above amount, and informed Mr. Coleman that he had lately received a letter from Mr. Myers, proffering to continue his services as Consul General at Shanghai. The Secretary added that he understood that the payment and receipt

of this money constituted the close of Mr. Myers's connection with the consular service.

Mr. Coleman said that he had seen a copy of Mr. Myers's letter, and had informed him of the impropriety of writing it. He supposed that it would be withdrawn.

The Secretary said that it might perhaps have been no more than Mr. Myers deserved to let him go out to Shanghai and find his consulate filled, but it would of course have been unkind to him, and he was desirous to avoid anything of that kind.

Dept. of State.
March 17, 1879.

Shanghai - China

Inclosure No 6

With dispatch No 18

State Department

Copy Letter Mr Coffey to
Mr Bailey